Today

No One in Jail. Why? Androcles and the Lawyer Livermore Says, "Sell" "The Sons of Apes"

Current Events

—By Arthur Brisbane—

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THE ENTERPRISING insiders were really earnest workers, selling public property, while they had the chance. A charge is seriously made that naval coal fields in Alaska were transferred to the Interior Department later to be transferred to private owners, as were the naval oil fields, also that development of government coal fields was stopped to oblige private competitors.

THE AVERAGE American is a good-natured, long-suffering person. But he begins to wonder why nobody is put in jail. The time for merely talking seems to be long drawn out.

THE PRESIDENT withdraws Mr. Strawn of Chicago as one of special counsel to prosecute bribe takers in the oil scandal.

Mr. Strawn is an able lawyer, with an excellent reputation. But the people want a different kind of lawyer to go after those rascals.

It was suggested here, when the scandal first "broke," that the President should take such men as Hiram Johnson and Senator Reed of Missouri, or if he did not want them for political reasons such a man as Max Steuer of New York.

THE PEOPLE want action. They remember the story of Androcles and the lion that licked Androcles' feet in the arena instead of eating him up. Androcles had once pulled a thorn from the lion's foot.

When a corporation lawyer meets an oil scandal gentleman in the legal arena, he is apt to remember favors that some oil corporation has done him, and to lick the feet of the oil man instead of eating him up. Nothing could be sillier than to "prosecute" thieving corporations with lawyers that those very corporations have fattened.

JESSE LIVERMORE, young man with light hair, big back head and solemn face, knows more about stock and such things than all others put together. So it is said. He sells or buys tens of thousands of shares at a time, and thousands follow when he says "buy" or "sell." Now he says sell. Excitement caused by Washington revelations will put stocks down, he says. Perhaps so; his opinion is often sound. But such revelations ought to put stocks up, if stock gamblers were intelligent. When you know the facts you can deal with them. When the people know that their officials have been selling national property at bargain prices, one hundred million dollars' worth of oil for one hundred thousand dollars cash, they can stop it, if they will.

WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN says that universities are causing "degradation of youth" by teaching evolution. He declines to open discussion with "the sons of apes," as he calls the evolutionists. Mr. Bryan will believe in evolution, he says, when you can make an onion out of a lily bulb or vice versa. It might interest Mr. Bryan to see the rough seashore plant that by evolution has been made into the modern cabbage. It would also help solve Mr. Bryan's problem if he would read enough of Darwin to know that Darwin never *said that men descend from monkeys.* He merely said that monkeys of the higher type are nearer to man in construction than other animals.

Mr. Bryan can learn for himself that every bone in his body is duplicated almost exactly in the skeleton of a chimpanzee, including the rudimentary tail

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REPORT DENBY TO QUIT

THE WEATHER

Boston and Vicinity—Fair tonight, slightly colder; Sunday unsettled, probably snow by night and rising temperature; moderate north and northwest winds.

Sun rises at 6:41; sets at 5.17.
Moon sets at 3:38 a. m.
High tide at 7:38 a. m., 8:21 p. m.
Temperature—Maximum, 21 at 1 a. m.; minimum, 16 at 7 a. m.; average, 18.5.
Light all vehicles at 5:47 p. m.

BOSTON AMERICAN

LARGEST EVENING CIRCULATION IN NEW ENGLAND

SPORTING AND COMPLETE STOCKS

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PAYMASTER LOST WITH $4,389 CASH

DENBY, HIT HARD BLOW, MAY QUIT

Resignation Report as President Calls Off Trip to North Pole

Washington, Feb. 16.—Resignation of Secretary of the Navy Denby as a result of the abrupt halting by President Coolidge of the dirigible Shenandoah's North Pole trip was reported in navy circles to be imminent.

Denby planned the polar trip, and he regards the action of Coolidge as a direct slap.

Denby, it was said among Navy officers, felt this more keenly than he did the adoption of the Senate resolution condemning him in connection with the Naval oil reserves and demanding that he resign.

In other quarters it was intimated that Mr. Coolidge may have taken this step to afford Denby an opportunity to quit the Cabinet voluntarily.

Rogers Begins Campaign for Pole Flight

Washington, Feb. 16.—Efforts to get Congressional approval for the navy's projected Polar flight with the Shenandoah were begun today, but naval officers were doubtful sanction for the expedition could be obtained in time to carry out the plan this Summer.

Preparations for the flight were suspended by Secretary Denby at the direction of President Coolidge, who acted, the secretary said, on information "that considerable opposition existed to the required expenditure of $250,000."

An advance party enroute to Nome, Alaska, to conduct important preliminary work was halted at the American Navy Yard in Washington, and all other preparatory activities were stopped.

Although opposition to the flight has been expressed in Congress, no organized movement to prevent it has developed and Representative Rogers, Massachusetts, planned to press for action on his pending resolution to place the House on record as favoring the expedition.

(For further developments see the American.)

TONY BOECKEL IN BATTLE WITH DEATH

San Diego, Cal., Feb. 16.—Norman D. (Tony) Boeckel, third baseman of the Boston Braves, who was seriously injured early yesterday in an automobile accident north of here, is battling for his life at the La Jolla Hospital.

Boeckel was conscious for some time last night and spoke a few words. Dr. Homer C. Gutman, who is attending the injured player, said that Boeckel's condition was very serious, but added that if Boeckel continued in his present condition for thirty-six hours after midnight last night, his chances of recovery would be good.

Korite Waterproofs Shoes Flexes and Gives Comfort

No tube treats 4 pairs. Ask your dealer, or remit price to Korite Products Inc., Cambridge, Mass.—Advt.

WANTS BABY BORN TO 'SUBSTITUTE' MOTHER

FIGHTS FOR BABY BORN FOR HER BY ANOTHER

Salem Woman, Childless, Admits She Agreed to Action of Husband

Salem, Feb. 16.—Mrs. Lillian Keach, who declares in her divorce suit that the baby she introduced to the world as her own, is the child of her husband and another woman today produced correspondence to support her story.

She has a letter which under a post mark of July, 1922, outlines the strange bargain by which she says she allowed the other woman to use the name of Mrs. Keach at a Brooklyn hospital, where the baby was born.

Frederick Payson Keach, twenty months old, has been known for those twenty months as the child of Dr. Frederick P. Keach and his wife, Lillian.

Mrs. Keach until now carefully

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Dr. True's Elixir

Will break up that feverish cold

The True Family Laxative

PRINCIPALS IN BIRTH TANGLE.

"Freddums," the baby wanted by Mrs. Lillian Keach (at left), is declared to be the child of Marian L. Lyman, a divorcee, and born to her through a "trade" agreement. Dr. Frederick P. Keach, named as the father, shown in circle.

MARIAN L. LYMAN.

Real mother of the baby in the strange contest.

Pneumonia Often Results From Colds

Dr. John's Medicine keeps you well—Advt.

6 FAMILIES ARE ROUTED BY FIRE

South Boston Residents, Driven From Tenement, Find Shelter in Postoffice

For one time, at least, the official red tape which surrounds every action of Uncle Sam was cut in a hurry, and a policeman did it.

When about a score of men, women and children of six families were driven from their homes into the icy blasts of the street by a tenement fire, the South Boston Postoffice was promptly thrown open as a shelter for the refugees.

The apartment house is at Nos. 443 and 443 A Broadway, South Boston.

When a passerby discovered smoke issuing from the cellar of the building he dashed into the structure and aroused all the tenants. In the meantime someone turned in an alarm.

Mildred Chamberlain

The occupants of the building ran pell-mell into the streets, few stopping to don any save the lightest clothing.

Patrolman Burke, officer on the beat, got into hasty action and within a few minutes the postoffice doors on Broadway were thrown open. The homeless were at once given shelter.

The firemen managed to confine the flames to the basement, although the stores of the Hoyt Hardware Company and Nichols-Keon Company, dealer in camera supplies, were damaged by smoke and water. It was in the basement of the hardware store the fire started. The loss is estimated at $5,000.

Tenants cared for in the postoffice building were: Moses Slocum, wife and two children; Mrs. Mary Ring, Mr. and Mrs. William Chamberlain with family, Mr. and Mrs. James

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Disabled Ship Near Port

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 16.—The steamer Montana, disabled at sea and being towed in by the steamer Poland, is expected to arrive here today. The steering gear of the Montana is gone. The tow line between the two steamers parted this morning, but later they were hooked together.

Radio's Best Features Today

DANCE MUSIC

WNAC—SHEPARD STORES—(278 Meters)

9:00 p. m.—Dance music and songs from Loew's State Ball Room.

PIANO RECITAL

WJZ, New York (455 Meters)

10:45—Recital by Alphonse Bohrer, pianist, broadcast from Aeolian Hall.

POPULAR SONGS.

WOR, Newark (405 Meters)

9:45—Mary Dell Dowman, soprano; Lorraine Boardman, violinist, and the International Trio, in popular songs.

BATHHOUSE MAN NOW 'DOCTOR'

Rosedale, Formerly Rosenthal, Among the 16 Listed as Abrams Practitioners

There are sixteen recognized practitioners of "Electronic Reactions of Abrams," in Greater Boston, according to Dr. Francis T. Davies of No. 541 Commonwealth avenue, the authorized teacher here.

Dr. Davies said: "The Electronic methods of Dr. Abrams are taught only to physicians who are legally and properly qualified to practice."

One of the practitioners named by Dr. Davies, is a former proprietor of a Turkish bath, who is using a name to which he has no legal right in this State.

Another, records at the State House show, is not registered with the State Board of Registration in Medicine.

MOSTLY OSTEOPATHS.

Two others, under the terms of their licenses, are restricted solely to the practice of osteopathy. Use of electrical apparatus is not a part of the practice of osteopathy, the State Board has ruled.

The remainder, with two exceptions, are listed as osteopaths, although two also hold degrees as M. D.'s. One of these is Dr. Frederick Dundale who "diagnosed" President Harding's condition from a newsprint photo.

One exception is Dr. Tilly H. Eaton, a dentist, of No. 2 Park square, who told the American he considered the "E. R. A." the only absolute cure for pyorrhea.

The list of practitioners with their records, follows:

Francis T. Davies, No. 541 Commonwealth avenue, registered Massachusetts Board, 1915; graduated Massachusetts College of Osteopathy 1918, degree D. O. Authorized teacher.

Francis A. Cave, No. 350 Boylston street, Registered Massachusetts Board, D. O., M. D.

Charles Rosedale, No. 9 Massachusetts avenue, registered Massachusetts Board, 1900; non-graduate College of Physicians and Surgeons, with three courses from 1897 to 1900.

Before the World War Dr. Rosedale was Charles Rosenthal, proprie-

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SENATE ORDERS COST OF BREAD INQUIRY

Washington, Feb. 16 (I.N.S.).—The Federal Trade Commission was ordered by the Senate this afternoon to conduct an immediate investigation into the price of bread throughout the country.

The investigation resulted from a resolution introduced by Senator La Follette of Wisconsin, who charged a "huge merger of baking companies" were making a national monopoly of bread production.

Natureopath Fined

DR. GORDON H. WALKER

'DR.' WALKER IS ASSESSED $100 FINE

Norfolk Downs Natureopath Found Guilty of Illegal Practice

Gordon H. Walker, "natureopathic practitioner" of No. 12 Tyler street, Norfolk Downs, was fined $100 in Quincy Court today on the charge of illegal practice.

He appealed and was held in $300 personal recognizance.

Walker was one of four practitioners arrested following investigation by Quincy police. The others are Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Black of No. 8 Billings road, and Ella Phillips, all of Norfolk Downs.

Their cases, charges of illegal practice, will come up for hearing February 27.

Walker, who calls himself a doctor, was arraigned before Judge

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DROP FROM SIGHT IN BANK

Fear Reading Shoe Factory Employe Was Slugged and Kidnaped

With scores of persons within sight and calling distance in front of the First National Bank of Reading, Arthur A. Anderson of Lynn, paymaster for the S. J. Basker Shoe Company, disappeared, along with the company's payroll of $4,389, today.

It is believed Anderson was kidnaped—probably slugged into unconsciousness and tossed into a waiting automobile. Police are scouring the roads for miles about in search for the man or his dead body.

When Anderson disappeared the bank was filled with patrons, and police have no means of checking up on just how many persons saw the paying teller pass Anderson the bundles of greenbacks.

The plant of the Basker Shoe Company is only a few hundred yards away from the bank and the bank entrance is in plain view from the factory offices.

When officials of the shoe company became impatient that the payroll had not arrived, they called the bank and were informed that Anderson had received the money more than half an hour before.

MAY BE SLAIN.

It was then Anderson's disappearance was discovered.

The Reading police, after an investigation, wired a description of the missing man to all surrounding towns.

As details of the disappearance were worked out, it became more apparent that the paymaster had evidently met with foul play and might possibly have been slain.

The company's employes are paid in bills of small denominations, the entire amount given Anderson by

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RACE SCRATCHES AT HAVANA

2, Prince Benero; 4, Irene Walton, Miss Holland, Al Aglow, Gilder; 5, Rita B, Job Thayer, Cruces, Elcorone, Billy Stuart, Smite, Cascorran; 6 Financial Rooster; 7, Emily, Royal Queen, Ace Jewell, Grapira.

AT NEW ORLEANS

1, Bill Winfrey; 2, Beg Pardon, Tempting, Longboat, Kingscleve, Ruby; 4, Bradley's Toney; 5, Dustabout; 6, Businesslike; 7, Florence Dean, Cloudy; fast.

RACING RESULTS AT NEW ORLEANS

1—Vanidosa 13-10, Evelyn 1-1, Alex Woodliffe 2-1

2—Translate 4-1, Sweepstakes 3-4, Honor Man 4-5

AT HAVANA

1—Nimrod 4-1, Guida 1-1, Sun Turret 3-5

2—Castilla 5-2, Air Vezina 3-1, Reits 8-5

RAIN HOLDS UP FIRPO BOUT

Buenos Aires, Feb. 16 (A.P.).—The bout between Luis Angel Firpo and "Farmer" Lodge, scheduled for tonight has been postponed because of a heavy rainfall.

BANK STATEMENT

TODAY

Bos. Cl.	78,000,000	Bos. Bal.	23,000,000
Bos. Bal.	$1,000,000	Bos. Cl.	78,000,000
N. Y. Cl.	840,000,000	N. Y. Bal.	76,000,000
N. Y. Bal.	78,000,000	N. Y. Cl.	840,000,000

Yesterday

Bos. Cl.	78,000,000	Bos. Bal.	24,000,000
Bos. Bal.	24,000,000	Bos. Cl.	78,000,000
N. Y. Cl.	792,000,000	N. Y. Bal.	83,000,000
N. Y. Bal.	83,000,000	N. Y. Cl.	792,000,000

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"CHICKIE"

The Story of a Boston Girl

FORMER PROPRIETOR OF TURKISH BATH IS NOW BOSTON 'DOCTOR'

FOLLOWER OF ABRAMS METHOD

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tor of a Turkish bath on Massachusetts avenue at St. Botolph street. He was a resident of Brookline, and an ardent disciple of Mrs. Katherine Tingley, high priestess of the Theosophic Society of Point Loma, California. He was not a practicing physician at that time.

CHANGES HIS NAME.

On November 16, 1917, he filed a petition in the Suffolk County Court asking permission to change his name to Rosedale. In the petition he said he was a naturalized citizen, born in Kalisch, Poland, May 3, 1867. He gave his occupation as a physician. His wife's name was given as Sara Rosenthal.

A memorandum attached to the petition stated no action was to be taken without reference to Judge Grant.

The petition was never granted in this State, and a similar petition filed in New York met the same fate, according to Dr. Rosedale or Rosenthal. He stated to the American, however, that in California he was given permission to take the name of Rosedale.

WOMEN PRACTICE.

Nettie Bowden, No. 100 Huntington avenue. No record at State Board.

Edith S. Cave, No. 28 Huntington avenue, wife of Dr. Francis O. Cave. Recorded at Massachusetts Board under limited registration. Chap. 526, Acts of 1909, giving her the right to practice osteopathy only. The registration prohibits her from doing any obstetrical surgery or internal administration of drugs. The statute has ruled that electricity is not osteopathy.

Bertha E. Carter, No. 25 Marlboro street, same registration as Mrs. Cave.

Tilly H. Eaton, No. 3 Park Square, dentist.

Christopher D. Thore, No. 100 Boylston street, address on certificate No. 7, High street, Everett. Registered Massachusetts Board, 1910, Graduate of Massachusetts College Osteopathy, 1910, degree D. O.

MIDDLESEX GRADUATES.

Ralph A. Manning, No. 473 Beacon street and No. 77 Church street. Address at State House, Chelsea Naval Hospital. Registered Massachusetts Board, 1918. Graduate of Massachusetts College of Osteopathy, 1917, degree D. O. Graduated Middlesex College of Medicine and Surgery, 1919, degree M. D.

Charles Grapek, No. 30 Huntington avenue, No. 369 Harvard avenue. Registered Massachusetts Board, 1917. Graduate of Massachusetts College Osteopathy, 1916, degree D. O.

H. Margaret Brown, No. 22 Bigelow street. Registered Massachusetts Board, 1915, graduate of Massachusetts College Osteopathy, 1915, degree D. O.

Frank A. Mack, No. 214 Huntington avenue. Registered Massachusetts Board, 1915, graduate of Massachusetts College Osteopathy, 1915, degree D. O.

MORE OSTEOPATHS.

Frederick Dugdale, No. 372 Boylston street. Registered Massachusetts Board, 1906, graduate of Baltimore Medical College 1903, degree M. D.

Lucy Abbott, No. 427 Main street, Waltham. Registered Massachusetts Board, 1913, graduated Massachusetts College Osteopathy 1913, degree D. O.

Allen F. Fehr, No. 885 Main street, Malden. Registered Massachusetts Board, 1916, graduate of Massachusetts College Osteopathy 1916, degree D. O.

Harald O. Royal, No. 25 Huntington avenue. Registered Massachusetts Board, 1922, graduate of Middlesex College of Medicine and Surgery 1922, degree M. D.

CHILDREN RESCUED AT SOUTH BOSTON FIRE

CARRIED TO SAFETY AT BLAZE

Three of the children rescued during fire in tenement house on Broadway, South Boston, today. At top, Michael Siecunis, aged three and one-half years, and his little sister, Marietta, aged ten. Inset, Elizabeth Carr.

PAY CLERK GONE!

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the bank containing only three bills of higher denominations than $20, while the bulk of it was in tens and fives.

It is believed bandits, loitering about the bank lobby and mingling with the crowd, saw the big stack of currency passed to the paymaster and believed the amount was much greater than it was.

Anderson always walked to and from the factory alone and unguarded, the short distance to be transversed making the usual precautions seem unnecessary.

Anderson is thirty-five years of age and resides at No. 10 Mace place, Lynn. He entered the employ of the shoe company last November, going to the firm highly recommended.

The factory management, following the investigation, declared there was little doubt but that Anderson had been kidnaped. They declared not the slightest suspicion rested in them nor doubts about the integrity of their employe.

Anderson is married, but he and his wife are separated.

Meantime, employes of the shoe factory stood about waiting for their pay envelopes. Shortly before noon, when it was evident Anderson was not going to show up or be found before the bank closed, an amount sufficient to pay the workers was withdrawn and they were paid off.

The police are working on the theory that the robbers, after dragging Anderson into an automobile, may have hauled him into the country and thrown him from the car or that he may have been killed by the hold-up men and his body disposed of in some out of the way place.

'DOCTOR' FINED

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Avery Tuesday. He was told to appear before the State Medical Board for examination.

"If you do not pass the examination then you must return and take the consequences," he was told by the court.

Walker went to the State board, exhibited a diploma from a Connecticut college, the Blumer College of Hartford, raided by authorities during the Grand Jury investigation in the Nutmeg State of "diploma mills."

He was told the college was not recognized in Massachusetts.

Appearing in court today he said he had nothing to add in his defence. The fine followed.

Investigation of Walker and others in Norfolk Downs by police followed the publication in the Boston American of articles exposing their methods of practice.

FIND BRIDE BEATEN IN WRECKED HOME

Worcester, Feb. 16.—With her lower jaw fractured and bruises all over her body, Mrs. Joseph Shea, twenty-six years old, a bride of only six months, was found unconscious on a pile of wrecked bedroom furniture at her home today. At a hospital she is under observation for internal injuries. Police immediately started a search for her husband.

WOMAN CHASES, BUT LOSES PURSE THIEF

Mrs. Joseph P. Myers of No. 12 Ware street, West Somerville, was the victim of a purse-snatcher while on her way home. Near Russell road on Ware street a man about twenty-two snatched her purse and ran down the street. The woman gave chase, but the thief outdistanced her. The purse contained $6.

CASHED BAD CHECKS ON STOLEN IDENTITY

Frank Ferara, twenty-two, passed worthless checks by "identifying" himself with stolen credentials, according to the police. He was arrested today, after he cashed a bad check at the Shawmut National Bank, by Inspectors Haggerty and Lahiffe.

According to the police Ferara stole a wallet from Albert E. McDonald and used McDonald's auto registration card and other papers to prove his identity.

MAN ARRESTED BY MISTAKE IS FREED

Joseph Vaux, an auto salesman, living on Westbourne terrace, Brookline, was discharged in Brighton Court on charges of driving an automobile in a manner to endanger the public and failing to give assistance after an accident. On Christmas Day a man was pinned between a moving auto and a house at Summit avenue and Corey road, Brighton. Vaux was arrested, but proved that he was at home at the time of the accident.

DETROIT BANDITS ESCAPE WITH $10,300

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 16.—In full view of more than a score of pedestrians, four men, armed with revolvers, held up two bookkeepers of the Gordon-Pagel Baking Co. today and escaped with $7,800 in cash and $2,500 in checks. The money was being made ready to be taken to a downtown bank.

B. &M. LOSS LOWER BY $248,220

The net loss of the Boston & Maine Railroad for the quarter ended December 31, 1923, was $745,842, according to the road's report to the Department of Public Utilities. The loss for the same period in 1923 was $994,062, $248,220 less.

HELD FOR SHIPPING FIRPO FIGHT MOVIES

New York, Feb. 16.—Fred G. Quimby, sales manager for the Universal Pictures Corporation, was held by Federal Commissioner Hitchcock today as a fugitive from justice from Los Angeles, where he recently was indicted by a Federal Grand Jury for the alleged transportation of motion pictures of the Dempsey-Firpo fight from New York in violation of the interstate commerce law.

Quimby, who was released on $2000 bail, was indicted with several others, including a woman.

SOUTH BOSTON FIRE ROUTS 6 FAMILIES

Women and Children, Driven Into Cold, Are Sheltered in Postoffice Building

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Carr and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Fraser, and George C. Hasselbrook, his wife and two children.

Ruther Chamberlain Francis Chamberlain

Chelsea Police Rescue Nine in Tenement Fire

Nine children were saved from death by suffocation early today by the prompt work of two Chelsea policemen on duty at a fire at No. 106 Ash street.

The fire started in the basement of a three-story house, tenanted by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Faveman, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rubeck and Mrs. Mary Clifford.

Patrolmen Forbes and McGreevey discovered the blaze, and while Forbes ran to pull in an alarm, McGreevey entered the house and went from floor to floor awakening the occupants.

From the top floor the policeman guided Mr. and Mrs. Faveman and their three little ones to the roof, where they were rescued by firemen.

Forbes, hurrying back from the fire-alarm box, brought out Mr. and Mrs. Rubeck and their four children and then went back for Mrs. Clifford and her youngsters. The fire was confined to the basement.

Church Is Menaced by $4,000 Fire in Somerville

St. Thomas' Episcopal Church, Somerville avenue, Somerville, was threatened by fire today when a two-story business block near the church was destroyed.

The business block, a concrete structure, was occupied by the tailor shop of Harry Bornstein, the shoe store of Samuel Bucchino and the fruit store of Emilio Malachodi on the first floor and the real estate offices of Kirk & Mullin on the second. The building occupied Nos. 304-6 Somerville avenue.

The firemen had a hard fight to prevent the fire from spreading to the frame buildings and church adjoining. The loss is estimated at $4,000.

SERGT. WELCH, PORT MESSENGER, IS DEAD

Sergeant Martin H. Welch, private messenger for eight successive surveyors of the port of Boston, covering a period of more than half a century, died today at his home on Bainbridge street, Roxbury. Sergeant Welch was a veteran of the Civil War, having served with Massachusetts troops from the beginning to the end of the war, re-enlisting on the field of battle when his first enlistment expired. He was appointed to the customs service in Boston on September 18, 1873.

Sergeant M. H. Welch.

He was born in Lexington, June 18, 1841. He was married in young manhood and one son was born to him, but both his wife and son have been dead for many years.

On his reception of his 80th birthday the late President Harding wrote him an autographed letter of congratulations.

Funeral services will be at St. Joseph's Church, Roxbury, at 9 a. m. Monday and will be attended by the collector and former high officials in the customs service.

HITCH IN BRITAIN'S PLAN FOR MEXICO

London, Feb. 16 (I.N.S.).—Negotiations for recognition of the Obregon government of Mexico by Great Britain apparently had broken down today. It was understood the British government refused to negotiate upon the basis proposed by the Mexican government, namely, that recognition be extended first and the amount of damages and claims be worked out later.

EXECUTE WOMAN'S SLAYERS ON MAY 16

Montreal, Feb. 16.—Eduard Freiler and Alfred Dagenais will be executed May 16 for the murder of Mrs. Arthur Bergeron. They were found guilty by a jury here.

Hold 5 in Prison Deaths

Pittsburgh, Feb. 16.—Five convicts were held for murder today by a coroner's jury, which heard evidence in the inquest into the deaths of two prison guards during the riot at the Western Penitentiary last Monday.

Oil Probe Cost to Date Is Placed at $100,000

Washington, Feb. 16 (I.N.S.)—The Senate oil investigation has cost the government thus far approximately $100,000, members of the Public Lands Committee announced today.

The heaviest item was $16,000 exclusive of expenses, to the two geologists who went to Teapot Dome and made a report on drainage conditions.

Expenses of witnesses who are paid $3 a day, in addition to train fare and hotel bills, also have added greatly to the cost.

R. I. BANDITS GET LARGE RUM HAUL

Force Clerk and Cops to Take $7,000 in Rum From a Warwick Hotel

West Warwick, R. I., Feb. 16.—(I.N.S.)—Under the muzzles of five revolvers, two policemen and the clerk of the Windsor Hotel today were compelled to transfer $7,000 worth of pre-prohibition liquor from the cellar of the hotel to two automobiles operated by five bandits.

The engines of the cars had been left running and when the liquor had been transferred the bandits made their escape in the direction of Providence.

A similar attempt to loot the hotel cellar was made six weeks ago, and since that time Patrolmen Edward Knivert and John Boudreau have been on guard.

When the clerk, Joseph Monte, answered a knock at the door today, two revolvers were pushed against his body. The bandits compelled him to call the officers, who in turn fell into the power of the outlaws.

The proprietor of the hotel was asleep on an upper floor while his cellar was looted.

BABY IS CENTRE OF STRANGE CONTEST

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concealed in her heart the secret of his birth.

NAMES OTHER WOMAN.

Today, after filing her suit, she named Marian L. Lyman of Beverly, divorced wife of Horace Lyman, as co-respondent.

Dr. Keach, who is already the defendant in a $25,000 alienation suit brought by Horace Lyman, denies his story.

The Keach family lives at No. 331 Essex street and are prominent in Salem society. Dr. Keach, whose office is at No. 266 Essex street, besides being well known in his profession is owner of a garage in Beverly.

"Freddums," as Mrs. Keach calls the baby, has been taken care of in Maxwellville, Quebec, by Dr. Keach, although he declares his wife's suit is a distinct surprise to him.

Marian Lyman formerly worked for Dr. Keach in his dentist's office. She is twenty-five. When her young husband sued Keach for alienating her affections, she replied with a divorce suit which won her a decree nisi.

"I never bore a child," was the statement with which Mrs. Keach surprised her friends today. "Baby is the son of another girl.

"I allowed this other woman to use my name in a Brooklyn hospital. Baby was born July 17, 1923, and registered immediately as Frederick Payson Keach, son of Dr. and Mrs. Keach.

"I have always been crazy about children. I could not have any of my own. My husband came to me one day and said he knew a woman whose husband was dead, who was about to become a mother, and who would let us have her child.

TOOK BABY HOME.

"About the same time he told me he was advancing money to Marian Lyman for a trip to New York. He told me to go to Newark, and friends were told that Marian went along to take care of me.

"When two weeks old, the baby was brought to me in Newark and I came home and called him my own. I have loved him ever since. A week ago Sunday I placed baby with a Mrs. Agnes Murphy of Albion street, Salem.

"Dr. Keach called for baby last Sunday after church to take him out riding, as he said. Mrs. Murphy did not telephone to me, but when I called her that evening she told me that Baby was still out with his father."

SECRETARY TO HARDING IS ACCUSED

Attempt to Suppress Anti-Trust Suit Is Intimated by Trade Commission

Washington, Feb. 16.—Objection to confirmation of George B. Christian, Jr., as a member of the Federal Trade Commission was made today by Senator La Follette on the grounds that Christian, as secretary to President Harding, had interested himself in an important case then and now pending before the commission.

The case is that of the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation, against which the commission issued a complaint in May, 1921.

Senator La Follette's opposition was announced after Commissioner Huston Thompson had testified at a hearing before the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee that he was called to the White House by Mr. Christian, and criticized for having acted without giving the company a hearing.

G. B. Christian

"He asked me what I meant by issuing the complaint before giving them a hearing," Mr. Thompson said, in reply to questions. "I told him that we had not then issued a complaint, but had it under consideration and expressed surprise that he had such information.

"I reported the incident to the remainder of the commission, believing it had some connection with reports which by our field agents that they had been told the case would never go through—that things would happen which would block it. On the following day we met and voted to issue the complaint."

The interview took place in the President's private office. The witness said, but only himself and Mr. Christian were present.

"Did you think there was some impropriety in the President's secretary thus approaching an important agency of the government upon pending cases?" he was asked.

"It was unusual at least."

Links Fall and Denby in Alaskan Coal Case

Washington, Feb. 16.—Senator La Follette, who has fought the reorganization that started the oil inquiry, proposed another today, also dealing with the leasing policies of former Secretary Fall.

Mr. LaFollette's new measure, prepared after John E. Ballaine of Seattle, an Alaskan coal contractor, had presented allegations to President Coolidge relating to the transfer of the Matanuska coal reserve from the Navy to the Interior Department, calls upon the Interior Secretary to submit his department's record on the matter to the Senate.

A copy of the transfer agreement between Secretaries Fall and Denby is asked in the resolution, together with all executive orders and other papers, including any lease made, applications for leases and correspondence on the subject.

Mr. Ballaine, in a letter presented to the President, asserted that negotiations for the transfer of jurisdiction was begun by the two Secretaries in July, 1921, and that the records would show plans to lease it to persons in the government's early parallel" with those of the Teapot Dome oil reserve transaction. No lease was signed, he said, but the transfer was followed by suspension of mining in the Matanuska field and refusal of the navy to utilize Alaskan coal.

Lodge Blocks Move to Let the Public In

Washington, Feb. 16 (I.N.S.)—The fight between Democrats and Insurgents in the Senate and President Coolidge over the nomination of Albe Pomerens as one of the counsel to prosecute the government's oil cases shifted to the floor of the Senate today, after more than a week in committee.

By a parliamentary objection, Senator Lodge blocked an attempt by Senator Dill to force the Senate into executive session to consider the nominations.

Shortly after the Senate convened, Senator Dill moved that President Cummins ruled against him after Lodge intervened.

Republicans defeated the move "because it is not the custom of the committee." They were willing to compromise by permitting the vote in the executive session to be made public.

Vote to Recover Oil Land Now Held by Standard

Washington, Feb. 16.—Without debate, the House adopted today the Walsh resolution directing the beginning of proceedings to recover sections 16 and 36 within naval oil reserve No. 1 in California, now operated by the Standard Oil Company of California.

Steps to recover these sections were taken late in the Wilson administration, but Albert B. Fall, as Secretary of the Interior, dismissed the proceedings on motion of counsel for the Standard Oil Company.

Saves Wife's Life

SEN. AND MRS. F. L. GREENE

GREENE WAS VICTIM OF RUM FIGHT

Senator From Vermont Is Shot in Chase After Bootleggers

Washington, Feb. 16.—Senator Frank L. Greene of Vermont, shot in the head last night while passing an alley near the Capitol in which two men were fleeing from a party of prohibition agents, was said by physicians today to be in a very satisfactory condition.

An X-ray examination showed the bullet struck the Senator a glancing blow. Hospital physicians said hopes for the Senator's recovery were increased by the fact that the bullet did not remain in the victim's head.

The prohibition situation here, which culminated in the shooting, may now lead to an investigation by Congress.

For months there has been a muddle of conflicting opinions, charges, explanations, denials and counter charges that the prohibition laws have not been properly enforced.

ORDERS SHOOTING PROBE.

Intelligence officers of the Treasury were instructed today to make a thorough investigation of the shooting. Prohibition Commissioner Haynes said he was distressed over the incident and expressed his regret to Mrs. Greene.

The whole liquor question has been complicated by a three-cornered row joined in by agents of the prohibition unit, officers of the intelligence division of the Treasury Department and the city police.

Mr. Greene and his wife stepped into the line of fire at the entrance of the alley just as the shooting began, and, trying to shield Mrs. Greene with his body, he dropped almost immediately.

The two men, who had just been surprised by the prohibition agents, were fleeing in an automobile and made good their escape despite the pain of bullets.

DRY AGENT ARRESTED.

They were arrested early today, however, and declared they were unarmed at the time of the shooting. They gave their names as James Raymond Beavers of Silver Hill, Md., and Benjamin Chesavoir, of Washington.

O. S. Fisher, prohibition agent who was arrested shortly after Mr. Greene fell, said he fired four shots, and police asserted that more than a dozen shots were exchanged between the fleeing men and the prohibition party.

TEXAS LAND FRAUD PROBE IS ORDERED

Washington, Feb. 16.—A special sub-committee will investigate charges of land fraud brought against a number of Texas land companies and R. B. Creager, former Republican National committeeman. It was announced this afternoon by Acting Chairman Moses, of the Senate Post Office committee.

MAMMOTH QUITS AT TEAPOT DOME

Casper, Wyo., Feb. 16 (I.N.S.).—All drilling operations of the Mammoth Oil Company in Teapot Dome were suspended indefinitely today.

17 CARS OFF TRACK ON CENTRAL VERMONT

Amherst, Feb. 16.—Traffic on the Central Vermont Railroad was tied up by a freight wreck today that derailed 17 cars two miles south of the local station. The cause of the wreck was not stated by railroad officials, who said that no one was injured.

Church Services

ADVENTIST

LINKED TO THE BRUTE

WHAT IS YOUR FAMILY TREE?
THOUSANDS OF CHRISTIANS ARE NOT WILLING TO ACCEPT THE SOUL DEBASING MONKEY THEORY OF EVOLUTION, YET HAVE NEVER HEARD THE EVIDENCE SUPPORTING THE BIBLICAL ACCOUNT OF CREATION AND THE FLOOD. CHRISTIANS AND EVOLUTIONISTS SHOULD HEAR THIS CONVINCING AND FAITH INSPIRING SERVICE.

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EPISCOPAL

SERVICES AT THE EMMANUEL TOMORROW

There will be a celebration of the Holy Communion without music or sermon at 8 A. M.

There will be a second celebration at 10 A. M. At 11 A. M. there will be morning prayer and sermon by the rector, the Rev. Elwood Worcester, D. D.

At four there will be a musical. Sermon followed by an organ recital by Albert W. Snow.

Dr. Edrop will be the afternoon preacher.

Emmanuel Church is on Newbury St., near the Public Garden.

Strangers are made cordially welcome.

CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF ST. PAUL
Feb. 17 (Septuagesima Sunday)—8 a. m. Holy Communion; 9:30 a. m. Cathedral School. 10 a. m. The Litany. 11 a. m. Sermon and Holy Communion; preacher, Rev. Donald B. Aldrich. 4 p. m. The Children's Church; Rev. John W. Suter, Jr. 7 p. m. Violin and organ. 7:15 p. m. Service of Hymns. 7:30 p. m. Evening Service; preacher, Rev. Walworth Tyng of Changsha, China.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

THE FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST (The Mother Church), Falmouth, Norway and 46, Paul sts., Boston. Mass. Sunday services 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject of lesson sermon, "Soul." Sunday school at 10:45 a. m. Testimonial meeting every Wednesday evening 7:30.

OUTLET LYCEUM

Atomic Propeller

175 action in airship, watercraft, motor, electrical apparatus, radio and human thought transportation, explained and illustrated; demonstrated by Dr. Howard, Sunday at 4 p. m. in Richard's Hall, 39 Huntington av. Physicians, chemists, teachers, engineers and electricians should hear explanation of this atomic principle.

BAPTIST

DUDLEY ST. BAPTIST (Singing Church), Dudley and Townsend sts., Roxbury. Rev. Ernest Brooks, 10:30, Lincoln Day Service, addresses by Rev. Wilbur Aldrich, "Lincoln;" and Dr. Brooks, "The Greatest Man;" Special Music, Full Febed Choir, Post 26 Band. 7:30 p. m. "Old Home Service." Singing, "Old Folks." Old Sacred Songs, by Quartet, Febed Chorus and Band—Solo Quartet—Special Duet, Solo—Male Chorus—Old Home Talks by Pastor and Tenor, "Silver Threads," sermon, "Silver Deeds Among the Gold." Hear Pastor Brooks.

MEETINGS

INTERNATIONAL BIBLE STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION—Meetings for divine worship and Bible study every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, in Convention Hall, Boston. H. W. Coley will have charge. Subject, "Life Through Purgatory." Public cordially invited. Seats free and no collections.

FORUMS

COMMON CAUSE FORUM—Sir Bertram Windle, F. R. S., Sc. D. or Toronto University, will speak on Darwinism and Darwinism. Franklin Union Hall, Berkeley and Appleton sts., 3 p. m. Free admission. Debate.

NEW THOUGHT

DR. SMALLWOOD—Scientific Astrology, action, business, health, events. Meetings 4 p. m. 647 Boylston st., Boston.

BEAUTY, PLUS BABY, PLUS GOELET FAILS TO ADMIT HER TO SOCIETY

PRINCESS SEEKING DIVORCE

Fernanda Riabouchinsky Goelet, Frowned on by Mother-In-Law, May Be Free

New York, Feb. 16 (C.N.S.).—A baby has conspicuously failed to get his beautiful mother into New York and Newport society.

Robert Goelet, aged three years, as a social asset, so far has made no course for Fernanda Riabouchinsky Goelet.

"Bobbie" Goelet, his father, has done no better in reconciling the differences of place and opinion that separate the former Princess Riabouchinsky from "Bobbie's" mother, Mrs. Ogden Goelet.

Socially, the elder Mrs. Goelet is a "fundamentalist." Her almost too beautiful young daughter-in-law might be termed a "modernist" The two are, of course, irreconcilable.

So the former "Princess Riabouchinsky," as Mrs. Robert Goelet No. 2 has sometimes been called, is getting a Paris divorce.

TOO MUCH GOELET

Mrs. Robert Goelet No. 1, former Elsie Whelan of Philadelphia, got her divorce in 1914 after ten years of enduring the Goelet family pride of which she said:

"I am tired of the constant thought of the Goelet name and the way to maintain the Goelet pride."

Society kept its fingers crossed and held its breath waiting to see whether or not Mrs. Ogden Goelet would accept Robert's lovely exotic wife.

Society now untwines its digits, heaves a sigh, and says: "I told you so."

But if a husband named Goelet and a baby named after him are not the open sesame to society, an ex-husband may actually be much more valuable.

Fernanda Goelet will undoubtedly get "heavy" alimony. She may still wear the Goelet name. And keep her own pride.

As the wife of Robert Goelet the lovely Fernanda could not maintain her own pride, however strong or weak it may be.

SOLD BEAUTY 'SECRETS'

As his ex-wife she will have independent means, which, according to due process of law, will be paid at intervals; money for which she will have to beg no man.

And she will have her three-year-old son, Robert, legal heir of Robert Goelet, who is said to be worth one hundred millions.

Yet only a few years ago Fernanda Riabouchinsky was glad to sell her "beauty secrets" to a newspaper, appropriately illustrated by explicit photographs of herself.

Suddenly these enterprises were stopped. The exuberant beauty, wife of Nicholas Riabouchinsky, purchasing agent for the Czar, had attracted too much attention. For some reason she found it agreeable to adopt a quieter manner of life.

Riabouchinsky, large, blonde-bearded Russian art connoisseur, always puzzled observers by his indifference not only to his wife's charms but toward those who admired them too obviously. In 1916 they were divorced. Cinderella was ready to marry her prince.

Fernanda Rocchi, daughter of a professor of art in Perugia University wed at sixteen to the Russian Riabouchinsky, was now to become the wife of Robert Goelet and the mistress of one of America's great fortunes.

BROKEN THREE TIMES

Beauty alone, however, does not recommend one woman to her sex. And upon the smiles of her own sex depends her social position. Arnold Genthe had said she was the most beautiful woman who had ever posed for his camera.

But the ex-wife of Riabouchinsky was a little too attractive for Robert Goelet's stern mother. The slightly Oriental, impassive charm of Fernanda's face in no way reassured Mrs. Ogden Goelet who had previously disliked even Elsie Whelan, "Bobbie's" first wife.

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BOBBIE' FAILS TO HELP MOTHER 'BREAK IN'

MRS. GOELET AND HER FAMILY

She was formerly Fernanda Riabouchinsky, wife of the Czar's purchasing agent, she divorced him and wed Robert Goelet, shown above, said to be worth $100,000,000. Young "Bobbie," heir to the vast fortune, is also pictured above.

CORCORAN SAYS FAIR TRIAL IS IMPOSSIBLE

Asks for Shift of Venue From Middlesex County Because of Conviction of Reading

A "fair and impartial trial" cannot be given William J. Corcoran in Middlesex County, it was declared today by his counsel in a motion filed in the office of the Middlesex Superior Court clerk. The motion asks that the trial be held in another county.

Corcoran's plea for a change of venue was one of fifteen additional motions filed by defendants' counsel in the so-called "blackmail cases." Two days ago twenty-five motions were filed.

A supporting affidavit attached to the changed venue motion declares that in 1916, while Corcoran was district attorney of Middlesex county, Arthur K. Reading (now district attorney was indicted in connection with alleged Cambridge city election frauds.

Subsequently, according to the affidavit, he was fined $200.

This incident, Corcoran asserts, makes impossible his "fair and impartial trial" in Middlesex county.

District Attorney Reading, following filing of the motions, issued a statement in which he said that he appointed Assistant District Attorney Robert T. Bushnell to take complete charge of the preparation and trial of the Corcoran case "in order to avoid any claim of personal bias."

FREIGHT CONDUCTOR DIED A SUICIDE

Worcester, Feb. 16.—Fred B. Mellon, forty-two years old, of Somerville, a freight conductor on the Boston & Maine, who died at City Hospital December 20, after saying he had been assaulted by an unidentified man near Barbers Crossing, received his injuries from falling on a switch blade, after slashing his own throat while mentally deranged, according to an inquest finding today by Special Justice Jacob Asher.

J. P. Conner Wins

Washington, Feb. 16.—President Coolidge today nominated Joseph P. Conner to be postmaster at Portsmouth, N. H.

GIRLS POWDER NOSES AS FIRE RAGES ON

Stay Quietly Inside Railroad Station as the Firemen Work on Roof

The boy stood on the burning deck, When all but he had fled.
—Old poem.

What became of the descendants of the fearless lad, who stood fast while his companions "beat it," as the flames roared?

Some have been located.

They live out Orient Heights way.

When the station of the Boston, Revere Beach & Lynn Railroad at Orient Heights took fire today, while the building was filled with commuters, most of them women, what happened?

Did they rush out to safety?

No, sir.

Firemen climbed to the roof of the station. They brought hose lines and axes. They poured water and cut.

Inside, the ladies languidly powdered their noses.

The men folks lighted their cigarettes and discussed the Braves and the Red Sox.

The firemen worked for half an hour. They were the only ones who had any thrill.

The loss was $50.

$2,098,000 "L" BOND ISSUE AUTHORIZED

The Department of Public Utilities today authorized the Boston Elevated trustees to issue $2,098,000 bonds, payable in 30 years, at 6½ per cent. interest. The bonds are to retire $1,500,000 bonds due March 1, the balance, $598,000 to be applied to the payment of the "necessary capital cost of preparation of site, construction and equipment of repair shops in Everett, or indebtedness incurred therefor."

RELIGIOUS FANATICS CALL OFF FIGHTING

Manila, Feb. 16 (A.P.).—Nearly 200 religious fanatics who have been causing trouble in Bucas Island, Surigao, have surrendered to Lieut. Col. Clarence H. Bowers, of the constabulary forces, and the campaign against them has virtually ended, according to a radio from the gunboat Sacramento.

ASSASSIN MISSES ACTRESS

Ethel Barrymore Passed Spot Moment Before Insane Ex-Soldier Killed Priest

Bridgeport, Ct., Feb. 16.—The icy hand of death reached out and came near resting on the shoulder of Ethel Barrymore, noted actress.

It missed the actress, but touched a Catholic priest, Rev. Father Hubert F. Dalune, instead.

The priest was shot down at Main and High streets by a deranged ex-soldier, Harold F. Israel.

Ethel Barrymore

According to Israel's story to the police, when the passion to kill came over him he simply shot the person nearest to him. This person happened to be the priest. Miss Barrymore passed the same corner an instant before.

Israel, who is twenty-three, was arrested in Norwalk for carrying concealed weapons, and he promptly confessed to the police he had committed the murder.

"I did not know the person I shot—did not even see his face. I simply had an uncontrollable desire, drew the gun from my pocket and placed the muzzle against the head of the first person I met. I fired and then walked away."

This was the remarkable story he told the police.

Several days later he watched the funeral of the priest from St. Joseph's Catholic Church and did not know that it was the funeral of his victim.

The young man served in the army, enlisting in 1919. He is a coal miner and after his discharge went to Mt. Carmel, Pa., where he visited friends and then came to Bridgeport. He declares that for ten minutes after he killed the man he did not remember anything of the shooting.

Miss Barrymore passed the corner on her way to the theatre where she is playing.

THEODORE ROBERTS HOLDING HIS OWN

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 16.—The condition of Theodore Roberts, the actor, who has been confined for the last several weeks at the William Penn Hotel here by illness, was said by the nurse at the sickroom to be unchanged. It was stated that he was "about the same as he has been for the last ten days."

Theodore Roberts

WIFE DECLINES 'LAST MESSAGE'; HE'S BETTER

Newark, Feb. 16.—"Take this message. It's my last," said Professor Otto K. Schill, formerly violin instructor at Syracuse University, to his wife, Edna, before he was to go on the operating table.

"No, Otto, I will not need your message for twenty years yet," she replied as she handed him the note back. Today the professor is reported improving. Physicians say the forthright wife had much to do with the improvement.

DAUGHERTY ASKED ABOUT PACKER CASE

Washington, Feb. 16 (I.N.S.).—The Senate this afternoon passed a resolution calling upon Attorney-General Daugherty to report what progress has been made in enforcing the anti-trust decree against the "Big Five" meat packing companies. It was sponsored by Senator Ladd of North Dakota.

LITTLE MORE COLD; SNOW, THEN WARM

Boston will continue to muffle up today and tomorrow, according to the Weather Man. It isn't so terribly cold, but it's real "chippy."

Sunday night, expect snow storm in the Southwest is headed this way. Won't be a deep fall according to the forecast today, but flurry. Then a rising temperature.

Barber Quits Man in Chair to Rescue Woman in Fire

Springfield, Feb. 16 (I.N.S.)—August Hasapelis, barber, left a customer half shaved sitting in his shop in Dickinson street today while he went out and saved a woman's life.

Mrs. Anna Lavenitucca was trapped in an attic room when fire broke out in the upper portion of the building. Hasapelis carried her to the street in safety. Then he returned and finished shaving his customer as firemen put out the blaze.

120,000 OUT IN DOCK STRIKE

British Walkout Ties Up All Ocean-Going Craft; U. S. Ships Are Hard Hit

London, Feb. 16 (A.P.).—The strike of dockworkers, affecting 120,000 men, became effective at noon today in all the ports of the United Kingdom.

Steamship operators, upon whose business the effect of the strike was at first immediately apparent, said they expected to be able to maintain their schedules with ocean-going passenger ships, but feared that the vast water-borne freight traffic to and from ports in the United Kingdom would be greatly slackened if not altogether stopped.

Should the tugboat men in the various ports quit work in sympathy it will be impossible to bring ocean-going vessels to their docks and all of them will have to anchor off shore.

By the use of tenders, passengers, mail and baggage could be carried to and from these anchored liners, but this system could never be used to load and unload the tremendous cargoes.

UNLOAD MAIL

The United States Lines, fearing the Plymouth tugboat men would follow the lead of those at Liverpool and bank the fires under their boilers, sent wireless messages to the captain of the steamship America, due in Plymouth at 10 o'clock tonight, informing him that his own crew would have to handle the mails.

The government was asked to supply sailors and marines to help take the American mailbags ashore. Workers from the London offices also were rushed to Plymouth to handle the passengers' baggage.

As the White Star Line announced that it expected to get the big Olympic away on schedule Wednesday.

DRAW FULL PAY.

The United States Shipping Board, a half dozen of whose freight steamers are due in various British ports the next few days, fears it will suffer a harder blow to its exchequer than any of the British lines because of the contracts which bind the crews of American ships to continue drawing full pay whether or not the ships are forced by outside influences to lie idle.

The President Monroe, with a heavy cargo, partly of perishable goods, is due in the Thames tomorrow, and it is uncertain as yet whether she will be able to unload and reload so as to return to the United States a week hence, as scheduled.

Some of the operators expressed the opinion today that the strike would be of short duration, possibly only over the week-end.

If it should last any length of time it will affect everyone on these islands, for since Great Britain cannot feed herself the prices of food are bound to rise as soon as there is any interference with the steamers that bring eatables here from all over the world.

LILLIAN GISH SAYS SHE IS NOT TO WED

New York, Feb. 16 (Universal)—A complete denial of all rumors of her engagement or impending marriage was made by Miss Lillian Gish, screen star, in cables to friends here and in Los Angeles. Miss Gish states such reports are wholly false.

Lillian Gish

Miss Gish with her sister, Dorothy, and their mother, is now in Florence, Italy, engaged in the production of "Romola."

REVOLT REPORTED IN THE UKRAINE

London, Feb. 16 (I.N.S.).—A revolutionary outbreak in Ukraine was reported today in a dispatch from Bucharest. (Ukraine is a part of Russia. A Soviet was created there with Kiev as the capital.) According to the dispatch gunfire could be heard across the Dneister River. Many frightened civilians attempted to cross the Rumanian frontier. Rumanian border guards have been reinforced.

TENANTS WILL NOW GET RUNNING WATER

Thomas Riley, owner of a house at No. 245 West Newton street, today was found guilty of a health violation by Judge Dowd in Municipal Court. He had failed to provide running water on the property. Fine of $50 was filed.

Telling him to see that the water is provided, Judge Dowd added, "You evidently ought to be an undertaker instead of a physician."

Mills on Half Time

Fitchburg, Feb. 16.—Announcement was made today by Russell H. Lowe, president of the Parkhill Manufacturing Company, manufacturers of ginghams, that the three mills of the company will be operated only three days a week beginning Monday. Approximately 2,000 employes will be affected.

MARRIAGE REVEALED BY BABY'S BIRTH

MR. AND MRS. VINCENT COLEMAN

ACTOR DEFIES OWNERS OF THEATRE

Threatens to Quit if They Don't Want a Family Man

Is marriage injurious to the career of a matinee idol?

That is the question in a controversy that has aroused great interest in theatre circlesof Brockton.

It concerns the tribulations of Vincent Coleman, leading man in a Brockton theatre.

Coleman, in defiance of orders from the management to keep his marriage a secret made known to the public the fact that he is the father of a nine pound baby girl.

"If I am not wanted because it is known that I am married, then I do not wish to play," Coleman declared.

His wife formerly was Marjorie Grant, a specialty dancer with Ed Winn's "The Perfect Fool" company. They have been married about a year.

Coleman has announced that he will bring his wife and baby to Brockton soon. Mrs. Coleman is twenty-two years old.

DR. HILLIS SUFFERS ATTACK OF PLEURISY

New York, Feb. 16.—Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, pastor of the famous Plymouth Church in Brooklyn, convalescing from an attack of high blood pressure which caused his collapse at a recent church meeting, today was attacked by pleurisy. Plans to remove him to a seashore resort have been abandoned. Dr. Tasker Howard, his physician, said, "While this new development is not at the moment serious, I am taking no chances and have ordered him to rest until completely recovered."

Dr. N. D. Hillis.

SEEKS EXTRA COURT TERM IN WORCESTER

Worcester, Mass., Feb. 16.—Chief Justice Walter Perley Hall of the Superior Court is considering a request from District Attorney Baker for an extra sitting of the court to follow the present session, which adjourns next week, to enable the district attorney to start the trial of the eighty-eight secret indictments returned as a result of extensive gaming and liquor raids recently conducted.

District Attorney Baker urges an extra session to handle 165 indictments returned at the end of the sitting of the Grand Jury and the large number of cases which come to the Superior Court in April.

SEEK 7 BODIES IN RUINS AT MONTPELIER

Firemen Continue Search at Risk of Lives; Probe of Blaze Is Pushed

Montpelier, Vt., Feb. 16.—Firemen continued their search today for bodies in the ruins of the Lawrence Building, destroyed here yesterday with the loss of eleven lives. Seven bodies have yet to be recovered.

The searchers were in danger from water five feet deep in the cellar, and several men had narrow escapes from falling into the pool through the debris on the ground floor.

Fire broke out again in the ruins shortly before midnight, but was extinguished. Claude N. Martine, one of five seriously injured, is still in a critical condition in a hospital.

Two charred bodies already recovered have been identified as those of Mr. and Mrs. William Osbourne. Identification was made by a watch.

GLOUCESTER CAPTAIN REPORTED MISSING

Gloucester, Feb 16 (I.N.S.)—Captain Harry Gillie, master of the schooner Phillip of this port, is missing. He was last seen at Boston Monday, when he was given a check at the Fish Pier for $4500 in payment for his catch.

He told his crew to sail the Pilgrim back to Gloucester, announcing his intention to return by rail to his wife, who was ill.

The Pilgrim's owners express fear the skipper has met with foul play.

CAPE BRETON MINES RESUME ACTIVITY

Sydney, N. S., Feb. 16.—Most of the mines in the Cape Breton fields, where operations were suspended a month ago, are working today. Of finals expressed opinion that next week's referendum between the British Empire Steel Corporation and the United Mine Workers of America would be only a formality.

Wedding Day Defers Trial of Bold, Bad Trousseau Thief

Lucy Capodifuto of Endicott street, North End, had her wedding trousseau all packed awaiting her wedding day next Tuesday. Along came a bad, bad man and stole it.

Pity Lucy. She shed copious tears. Then the police arrested William Ferrera, said they recovered the wedding garments, and Lucy brightened. In court today a case of larceny against Ferrera was continued until next Friday.

Judge was going to make it Tuesday, but Lucy said:

"Oh, your honor, that's my wedding day."

"So it is," said Judge Dowd, "make it Friday."

POLICEMAN DEFENDED BY GIRL

Companion In "Borrowed Car" Backs His Alibi in an Accident Case

Rocco Giovannucci borrowed an auto from his intended father-in-law for a little spin about the Blue Hills. But he did not take the bride-to-be along. It was another girl who sat in the front seat.

This is the story which Giovannucci, former patrolman of the Mattapan station, dismissed a few days ago on charges of having been the driver of a car which knocked down a man at Huntington and Cumberland avenues on the night of January 2, told the Police Commissioner today, when he was given a hearing for reinstatement.

This story, police say, differs from the original version, in which Giovannucci said he took Frank Sheehan with him on the ride. It now appears that he drove by the home of Miss Vivien Walker, No. 209 Dudley street, and took her for a two-hour spin. Miss Walker confirms the ex-patrolman's testimony.

Giovannucci's prospective father-in-law, the owner of the car, is Frank A. Silva, No. 82 Clifford street, Roxbury.

Both Giovannucci and Miss Walker say they were not in the vicinity of Huntington and Cumberland avenues the night of the accident. But Patrolman Edward Fallon says the car that knocked the man down carried number 1479, the number of the car Giovannucci drove.

Patrolman Stephen L. Cosgrove of the Athens street station was dismissed from the police department after he was found guilty by a trial board of assault and battery on a Dorchester girl.

The girl charged Patrolman Cosgrove with having met her on Third street, South Boston, and shoved her into a doorway. Cosgrove's defence was based on the allegation that the girl was drunk when he met her and that when he told her to move on she refused.

PRESS AGENT YARN, SAYS JESSIE REED

Chicago, Feb. 16.—The announcement of Edward Rosenbaum, show manager, of the engagement of Jessie Reed, Ziegfeld Follies showgirl, to Russell G. Colt, member of the band of Ethel Barrymore, resulted from the efforts of an overzealous press agent, according to Miss Reed.

Jessie Reed.

"One of a woman's rights is to know to whom the press agents are engaging her," says Miss Reed. "Mr. Colt's name was not on the list for publication this week. I know him—that is all."

0.9 P. C. DROP IN JOBS, WAGES FALL 4.9 P. C.

Washington, Feb. 16.—General decrease of 0.9 per cent. in employment during January was accompanied by a 4.9 per cent. decrease in pay roll totals and a reduction in per capita earnings of 4.1 per cent., according to reports from 7,849 establishments in fifty-two manufacturing industries, compiled by the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the Department of Labor.

Compared with January, 1923, however, 4.1% establishments in forty-three industries showed increases of 1.3 per cent. in total wages and 3.5 per cent. in per capita earnings.

In one week of December the 7,849 establishments reported 2,575,172 employes who received a total compensation of $48,650,025, as compared with 2,565,742 employes in January with total wages of $65,481,467.

CHARGE FRAUD IN NAVY PLANE SALE

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 16.—An injunction restraining M. Epstein of Norfolk, F. G. Erickson of Baltimore, and Jack Elliott of Hamilton, Ontario, from disposing of 58 navy airplanes from the navy, has been obtained in the Federal Court here.

It is charged the respondents sold, or agreed to sell, a number of airplanes, bought by Epstein at public auction at Hampton Roads, to the Canadian Government, in violation of conditions of the contract of sale.

DIAMOND SWINDLER SOUGHT BY POLICE

Worcester, Feb. 16.—Police have been asked to search for a diamond salesman, reported to have swindled a number of Worcester people out of valuable jewelry and money, giving them in return a number of uncut diamonds which later proved to be white sapphires of small value.

His plan is to exchange white sapphires, which he passes as diamonds for real diamonds and a cash balance.

GERMANY'S SHIPPING REVIVAL MENACES U. S. MERCHANT MARINE

POVERTY NOT EVIDENT NOW, U. S. OFFICERS SAY

Germany is "coming back" strong—at home and on the sea.

Captain Harold A. Cunningham and other officers of the steamship George Washington, now in dry dock at the Charlestown Navy Yard, have given to the Boston American a story of the new Germany that calls for a solid support of the United States Merchant Marine.

It is a story that blasts the accepted idea in America that Germany is a poverty stricken country where American dollars are worth many times their home value.

The new order of things in Germany has been accomplished through the discarding of the old mark and the placing of German money upon a gold basis.

"Whereas we had formerly no competition at the port of Bremerhaven," said Captain Cunningham, "the North German Lloyd Line is now operating twenty-nine fine steamers. They have one fine service to South America, comprising fine new ships. They have a service to New York and a service to Baltimore.

Victor H. De Caro, purser, declared:

"I was in Germany at Christmas time and the display in shops was a revelation to me.

"We have carried passengers on the George Washington who were making the trip from Germany to the United States to buy Winter furs. Nobody in Germany is saving money. They are spending, spending, spending.

FOREIGNERS LEAVE.

"Cabarets and places of amusement are springing up in Germany like mushrooms. The clientele is entirely German. THERE ARE NO FOREIGNERS IN GERMANY. Their prices are beyond us.

"What effect has the new money system had on the purchasing power of an American dollar?" was asked.

"I have paid as low as one dollar of American for a suit of clothes." Mr. DeCaro said. The same suit now would cost thirty-five dollars and the buying has ceased.

"We used to pay one dollar to go to Berlin from Bremerhaven, including sleeper. Now it costs $11.60, second class, one way."

Second Officer Herbert R. Rowell-der added: "We used to go to Hillman's, the best hotel in Bremen, and get everything from soup to nuts for twenty cents. Now a lunch consisting of a vegetable, entree, coffee and beer, costs two dollars."

LIQUOR PRICES SOAR.

"It may interest you to know that the wine we used to get for fifty cents now costs four dollars and it is abominable," Mr. De Caro said. "Beer that used to cost us next to nothing is ten cents a glass."

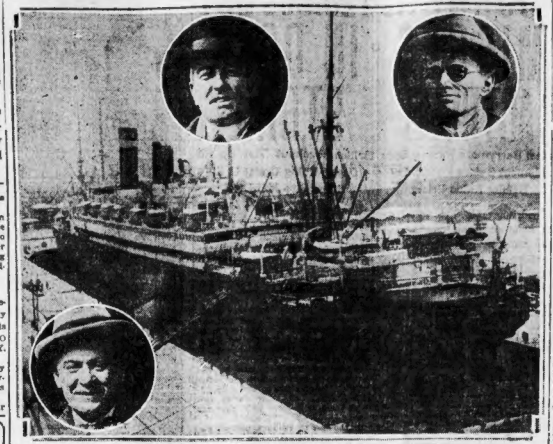
"The government is unsupported, however. The people have no confidence in it. Profits now being taken are banked in foreign countries."

"The working man in Germany is now getting about one dollar a day and is living well on it," said Captain Cunningham.

"But how about poverty in Germany?" was asked. "Is there such a thing?"

"I have been running to Germany since the armistice," replied Mr. De Caro, "and I tell you this without fear of contradiction, if there is poverty in Germany you cannot see it."

TELL OF GERMANY'S REBIRTH



S. S. GEORGE WASHINGTON AND OFFICERS

Photo of American liner in dry dock at Charlestown Navy Yard. Inset: Top, Captain Harold A. Cunningham, left; James Prentiss, general agent of United States Lines for New England. Bottom: Victor H. DeCaro, purser. Their descriptions of present-day conditions in Germany explodes the belief that it is a poverty-stricken country. On the contrary the new gold currency basis is putting the country back to near pre-war conditions, they say.

PUBLIC REAPS BENEFIT ON HARDWARE

Manufacturers Trying to Attain Efficiency at Moderate Cost

By D. F. BARBER,
President of Chandler & Barber.

Builders' Hardware is a subject the average person does not think much about except those whose living depends upon it, or perhaps except those, like the writer, who is in the business for a living and for something more, and having been actively and continuously engaged in it for over fifty years, he can, perhaps, speak with some knowledge, based upon experience.

SOME PRICES LOW.

Builders' hardware is high as compared with prices of 1914. We have been examining, however, lately, a range of prices on certain articles in the hardware line since 1912; a number of them are as low, or lower than they have been since 1922 and when it is considered that the cost of nearly everything in the hardware line is affected very little by the base price of steel, iron or brass and we know that the cost of labor has been continuously advancing, the wonder is that the prices are not higher than they are.

The facts are that 70 per cent. or 75 per cent. of the cost of nearly everything in the hardware line is labor—20 per cent. or 25 per cent. being material. The reverse of this is true in textile or other fabrics that have automatic machinery for their production. Here, 70 per cent. or 75 per cent. is in the cost of material and 20 per cent. or 25 per cent. in the cost of labor, so one can see that the situation in the hardware trade is exactly the reverse to that in most other things with which the public has to do.

EFFICIENCY ATTAINED.

Builders' hardware and other things entering into the hardware dealer's stock would be vastly higher if manufacturers were not striving and had attained to a very high degree of efficiency. This has been accomplished by a selection of the very best possible workmen for each process and also to a certain extent by adding up-to-date machinery and to a very large extent cutting out slow selling goods, whether on account of designs or slow sellers. This has been carried further in the hardware industry than in any other of which we know.

For this reason the public is reaping the benefit and like all projects, which are worthy of such treatment, it reacts upon the manufacturers and dealers to promote their own prosperity.

The Hardware Dealers' Convention will be held in Mechanics Building Feb. 20, 21, 22.

SEES FARMERS IN EAST ONLY EXISTING

Western Prune Grower Asserts Conditions Are Worst in 20 Years

The condition of farmers in the East and South is worse than it has been in more than twenty years, according to I. O. Rhoades, president of the California Prune and Apricot Growers' Association.

Mr. Rhoades, who was elected to the executive committee at the national convention of co-operative marketing associations in Washington a few days ago, is stopping at the Copley-Plaza.

AMAZED AT CONDITIONS.

He declared that in his swing about the country he was amazed at the condition of the farmers here and in the South as compared with those of California.

"Farmers live in California," he told the Boston American, "while they hardly exist around here."

Superior conditions in the Pacific Coast States he said are due to co-operative community marketing and roads.

Mr. Rhoades, who is a native of Maine, has had much to do with the improvement in the conditions of apricot and prune growers in California.

NEW POLICIES.

Owner of a large prune and apricot orchard in the Santa Clara Valley, his neighbors placed him on the board of directors of their association, which does a $30,000,000 business annually. At that time he had retired from active business, having reached the top in the purchasing department of the Southern Pacific Railroad.

He became president of the association and left California some time ago to attend the convention in Washington. At the same time he has been studying at first hand the association's method of merchandising to learn whether it meets with public approval.

Under President Rhoades the prune and apricot growers have recently effected a reorganization and are now going on to the market with new selling policies, extensive advertising and low prices.

OIL HEAT PLANT INSTALLED BY LAWRENCE, INC.

Last Word In Auto Spring Equipment Added to Cambridge Factory

A new oil treating plant—the last word in heat treating—has been installed by George Lawrence, Inc., of Cambridge, specialists in spring repairs, to care for increased business.

George Lawrence, Inc., created a sensation in the local automobile trade when they announced the installation of "dry docks for motor cars," by the use of which the car owner may remain seated in his car and have a complet set of springs repaired within an unusually short time.

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W. H. O'BRIEN LEASES SUMMER ST. BUILDING

The Wm. H. O'Brien School of Dancing, which, for a number of years, has been located at No. 295 Huntington avenue, Back Bay, has leased the third floor at No. 49 Summer street from the Winchester Company. It is the intention of Mr. O'Brien to conduct classes in dancing at the new address, as well as at the original school.

W. H. Ballard & Co., Inc. negotiated the lease.

On Monday our PARIS FASHION LETTER will be printed here. Watch for it.

LANE'S REALTY DEALS INVOLVE $669,000

Properties Bought and Sold in Boston and Several Suburbs

Realty deals in Greater Boston, involving a total valuation of $669,000, have been reported by Frank S. Lane. The properties involved are situated in Boston, Roxbury, Allston, Jamaica Plain, Dorchester, Newton Centre, Hull and Cambridge.

A summary of the properties involved follows:

Large brick block at No. 885 Massachusetts avenue, Cambridge; eight stories; twenty-eight four and five-room suites; total valuation $100,000. Sold to Thomas E. Toomey through George A. Dill.

Properties at Nos. 7-9-11 Scottfield road, Allston; three brick buildings, each containing sixteen modern apartments; total assessed valuation $250,000. Purchased from Scottfield Realty Trust through John T. Burns & Sons, Newton.

JAMAICA PLAIN SALE

Three-family house, two-family frame house and two-car garage at Nos. 40-40½-42 Paul Gore street, Jamaica Plain; total assessed value $32,500. Sold to Julia Kiall through Maurice Himmel.

Purchased from the Highland Business Men's Association properties at Nos. 2690-2698 Washington street, also at 151-153 Dale street and 2800-2802¼ Washington street, Roxbury, consisting of two double houses, three stories and two apartments. Total assessed valuation $47,600. Bought through Cruft & Byrne.

Two-family frame house and one-car garage at No. 511 Ward street, Newton Centre; total valuation $13,300. Purchased from E. W. Mahlstrom through Henderson & Ross.

Purchased from Kinsley Dunbar the furnished beach house at No. 67 F street, Hull, valued at $7,500.

TRACT IN NEWTON.

Beach house with furnishings at No. 75 F street, Hull, valued at $8,500. Purchased from Lena Munch through Frederick H. Sylvester.

Sold to Edward J. Lynch, three-family house at No. 95 Child street, Jamaica Plain; valuation, $7,800.

Tract of land on Waban Hill road, Newton Centre, containing 10,241 square feet, assessed for $3,400. Purchased from Louis Meynell through John T. Burns & Sons.

Sold for Delia V. Curran to Joseph Paul, large brick block at Nos. 252-292 Talbot avenue and Nos. 42-46 Whitfield street, and Nos. 43-55 Aspinwall road, Dorchester, containing five stores and eighteen apartments. Total assessed valuation, $75,000.

OTHER TRANSACTIONS.

Purchased from Joseph J. Holden the properties at Nos. 76-78 Elmore street, also property at No. 45 Moreland avenue and property at No. 56 Cedar street, Newton Centre; total assessment, $28,000. Purchased through Charles E. Howe Co.

Property at Nos. 161-165 Lamartine street, Jamaica Plain, two frame stores and 9,800 square feet of land. Total assessed valuation, $9,400. Purchased from Charles F. McGrady through Maurice Himmel.

Purchased from Harry Clark the property at No. 757 Washington street, Dorchester—large one-family frame house and stable. Total valuation $7000. Purchased through Fitzgerald Real Estate Agency.

Two frame two-family houses at Nos. 9-11-15 Woodside avenue, Jamaica Plain, also seven lots of land on Woodside avenue, Forest Hills street and Glen road, Jamaica Plain. Total valuation $24,200. Purchased from Alice Burrows.

Five frame buildings at No. 2683 Washington street and Nos. 3-5-13 Oakland street, Roxbury. Total assessed valuation $27,400. Purchased from Ernest Schwender.

HELD UP, THEN FIRES AT FLEEING CROOK

Uxbridge, Mass., Feb. 16.—At the Wayside refreshment stand of Alvah F. Ballou on the Millville-Uxbridge highway today a young man armed with an automatic pistol forced the proprietor to empty his pockets. After he had ransacked the till, he told Ballou to "sit tight" under pain of death, backed out through the doorway and disappeared.

After the highwayman had left Ballou picked up a rifle and fired two shots after the fleeing robber, who headed toward Millville.

America Verges on Political Upheaval, British Think

London, Feb. 16.—The British press sees far-reaching effects, which eventually may become international in their scope, growing out of the oil leasing scandals uncovered in Washington.

Today's newspapers devote much space to what is described as a virtual "panic" in Wall street as a result of the revelations.

Typical of the comment is that of the Daily News, which says:

"Deplorable affairs are shaking American politics to its foundations. Soon it will become difficult to find a politician who the public does not believe in some way implicated. When the facts are finally established there may be so great an upheaval in the political parties that the reaction will affect American relations in Europe."

REALTORS PLAN HONOR DINNER TO PRES. ENNIS

Head of National Association to Be Welcomed at Gathering Here Feb. 19

The Boston Real Estate Exchange announces that on Tuesday evening, February 19, at 6.30 a dinner will be given in the auditorium of the Boston City Club in welcoming H. R. Ennis, Kansas City, Mo., recently elected president of the National Association Real Estate Boards.

President Ennis and B. Loring Young, Speaker of the House of Representatives, are to address the members.

Henry Whitmore, president of the exchange, who will preside, earnestly requests the presence of all members that they may hear and meet the head of the national association.

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CARDINAL NOW ON HOMEWARD JOURNEY

Ending Pilgrimage to the Holy Land, He Offers up Prayer for His Diocese

Jerusalem, Feb. 16.—Cardinal O'Connell of Boston completed his pilgrimage in the Holy Land and with his party of American prelates, began his long homeward journey.

"At every shrine in Nazareth, Bethlehem, and Jerusalem, my first prayer was for all the people of the diocese. In the city of peace, which is Jerusalem, my prayer was for the peace and prosperity of America."

Cardinal O'Connell

These were the words of Cardinal O'Connell of Boston in the first message he has sent to America since beginning his pilgrimage to the Holy Land.

SHOWN EVERY ATTENTION.

"I had expected much from my own personal devotion," said the Cardinal. "The realization was infinitely more than any expectation.

"All the authorities, ecclesiastical and civil, seemed during these few days to vie with one another in showing every public attention and consideration. All the patriarchs, especially His Beatitude, the Latin Patriarch, treated me with the affectionate devotion of true brothers in the faith.

"All the civil authorities, His Excellency, the High Commissioner, Sir Herbert Samuel; the Governor, Sir Ronald Storrs; the Mohammedan Mayor of Jerusalem, and our American consul deserve every public gratitude for their unfailing kindness to me and all my party.

FULL OF GRATITUDE.

"I leave the Holy Land with heart and soul filled with gratitude to God for allowing me the privilege of visiting all these holiest of shrines, the World was made flesh and heavenly dwelt amongst us, where the Son of God was born and died that he might draw all men to Him from the hill of Calvary. I salute and bless my beloved people, and I pray God to shower sacred privileges may bring more countless peculiar Divi.

Pa.

ret al O'Connell's visit during week day in Jerusalem to the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, was during. The Cardinal was deeply bed. He celebrated mass on Calvary and prayed long. After his to the tomb of Christ, he walked the Via Dolorosa, where Franciscans gathered along the way to him public honors.

The Cardinal's trips took him to the upper chamber where the Last Supper was held and to the place where Christ was condemned to death.

HIS TREASURES.

At the Armenian convent, Cardinal O'Connell was received in state by the Armenian Patriarch and shown the priceless treasures of the church. Opportunity was also granted him to pray at the tomb of St. James the Greater.

Mohammedan custom was laid aside when Cardinal O'Connell, a Christian, visited the mosque over the tomb of David. This was an honor accorded to Christians by the Mohammedans.

Cardinal O'Connell then paid his respects to the American consul here, before going to the home of Monsignor Barlasdina, Latin Patriarch of Jerusalem, where he spent his last night in the Holy Land before turning his steps homeward today.

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Mrs. Shaw Calls Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a God-Send to Sick Women

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LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND

Brookline Man to Take New York Bride Next Month, Says Betty Alden

By BETTY ALDEN

AND yet another Boston-New York alliance will be added to the long list when Miss Sylvia Brown of Gotham becomes the bride of Charles A. Morss, Jr., of Chestnut Hill.

The ceremony is set for April 26 and will be solemnized at "Springhurst," the Dobbs Ferry country home of the bride-to-be's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Q. Brown.

When Miss Brown's mother became a bride, the affair was also a Boston-Gotham alliance, for Mrs. Brown was formerly Miss Ida P. B. Eldredge of the Hub and a recognized belle of her day.

Mrs. Brown, by the way, is president of the Dobbs Alumnae Association and the other day she gave a tea at Sherry's for the alumnae of the Masters School.

A HOST of Mrs. Harold Peabody's friends have attended the exhibition of water colors done by her being held at Doll and Richards this week.

Mrs. Harold Peabody

Most of the paintings, which have aroused considerable favorable comment, are Californian scenes. Mrs. Peabody, who was formerly Miss Marian Lawrence, daughter of Bishop Lawrence, has shown special gift for pastels.

The proceeds of this week's exhibition are for the social service department of the Massachusetts Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary.

ONE of society's stunningest youngest matrons is Mrs. George von L. Meyer, Jr. (Frances Saltonstall).

She is of tall and rather stately build, has light brown hair with auburn glints, and most attractive hazel eyes.

It was she and Harcourt Amory, Jr., who led the cotillion at the second and last assembly of the season held Friday a week ago at the Copley Plaza. She is a sister of Mrs. Philip Weld (Katherine Saltonstall) of Dedham, and of Mrs. William Potter (Rose Saltonstall) of New York.

Both Mrs. von Meyer and her husband have been working hard for the success of the gymkhana, rough riding and polo, which is to be held this afternoon and evening at the Commonwealth Armory for the benefit of the Children's Hospital and Convalescent Home.

A coterie of attractive matrons and maids will be on hand to sell balloons, popcorn, cigarettes and candy. There will be plenty of "fixins" and local color at the gymkhana, which promises a highly thrilling program of all manner of equestrian stunts.

MRS. GEORGE VON L. MEYER, JR.

Mrs. George von L. Meyer, Jr. (Frances Saltonstall) is of the smart group interested in the gymkhana at the Commonwealth Armory today. (Photo by Bachrach.

Society Notes

MRS. BENJAMIN PITMAN is giving a tea on Monday at her Brookline home for Mrs. Charles Summer Bird.

Mrs. Bernard C. Weld, with Miss Frances Weld and Miss Gertrude Russell of Commonwealth avenue, sails today for the Mediterranean on board the Duilio of the Navigazione Generale Italiana line.

Miss Lavinia Newell of Commonwealth avenue has been stopping for a few days at the Hotel Ambassador, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Galen Stone of Brookline are leaving today for a two weeks' trip to Porto Rico.

Under Secretary of State and Mrs. William Phillips are spending a fortnight in Bermuda with his mother, Mrs. John Phillips.

Charles C. Colt of Charles street will be an usher at the marriage of Miss Louise Vanderbilt Schieffelin to Alonzo B. Hewitt, both of New York. The wedding takes place on March 1 at the Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church.

The Misses Theresa and Lee Higginson are now enjoying the Winter sports at "Rockhaven," their country place in Lenox. Mrs. George Higginson, their mother, is also there.

Architect Bacon Dies

New York, Feb. 6.—Henry Bacon, designer of the Lincoln Memorial in Washington, died today at the Post Graduate Hospital. Mr. Bacon, an architect of international reputation, was born in Watseka, Ill., in 1866. He was a graduate of the University of Illinois.

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MORATORIUM OF 2 YEARS FOR GERMANY

Said to Be One of Main Recommendations of Dawes' Reparations Experts

Paris, Feb. 16.—It is believed the conference of experts headed by General Charles G. Dawes of the United States, which has just completed its investigation into Germany's capacity to pay reparations, will report about March 1, after which a plenary conference will be held in Paris.

The experts have just returned from Berlin and correspondents in the German capital understand they have arranged a complete program for solution of the tangled reparations problem which has harrassed Europe ever since the Paris peace conference.

While the program is guarded carefully, it is understood that the recommendations will include:

1. A two-year moratorium for Germany.

2. Economic liberation of the Ruhr and Rhineland without disturbing the military occupation.

German reparations payments on a scale depending on the excess of exports over imports.

NILAND CONVENTION DELEGATE CANDIDATE

Former State Representative Thomas A. Niland of East Boston is the first candidate to file papers with the Election Commissioners at City Hall as a delegate from the Tenth Congressional District to the National Democratic Convention to be held in New York next June.

Shopping with Priscilla Price

She finds the unusual and tells of good values every day

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY PARTY

INVITATIONS CAN BE made with correspondence cards. Paste a gummed patriotic shield in the upper left-hand corner. Write the first line in red ink, the next in blue. Red, white and blue shields, 25 in a box, are 10 cents.

PAPER NAPKINS with stars and stripes in each corner, sell for 15 cents a dozen. Use a plain white tablecloth. For each plate are place cards, George Washington and Cherry Tree. 3 cents each.

BLACK TRICORNES with a cherry sprig, hold candy in their crowns. 10 cents each. Let the girls have these. For the boys, are little cherry tree trunks, for candies. 5 cents each.

BESIDE EACH PLACE put a red-white-and-blue motto or bonbon with snaps. $1.00 a dozen. They make a jolly noise. Pretty, too.

HATCHETS, big, are 10 cents each. Little ones, saying "I cannot tell a lie" sell for 25 cents a dozen.

HATS MAKE NICE FAVORS, too. Big Uncle Sam ones are 10 cents each. Colonial, with streaming white cockade, sell for 10 cents also. Very festive.

PEPPERMINT HATCHETS, with red stripes, are about 60 cents a pound. Chocolate ones are about 15 cents each.

COSTUMES ARE OFTEN WORN at Washington's Birthday parties. There are very cute ones for little girls, in crepe paper. Make them yourself. A Martha Washington costume is nice for a grown-up. Or, make a slip-over of red and white, with blue bows. We can tell you of several, easy to make.

TWIST RED AND WHITE striped streamers around your chandelier. Let blue streamers hang from each light almost to the center of the table. Tie one of the large hatchets to the center streamer. Streamers are 10 cents for 60 feet.

PAPER TWISTS that you throw at each other are 30 feet long and cost 30 cents a dozen. In all colors.

CUT-OUTS OF AMERICAN FLAGS or Statue of Liberty, for ices, sell for 25 cents, 12 in a box.

SERVE DESSERT in paper serving cups, covered with a red crepe paper ruffle. Make them yourself. Plain cups, 3-inch diameter, 30 cents a dozen. Paste an Uncle Sam cut-out at one side, 4 inches high. 6 for 10 cents.

PRISCILLA PRICE.

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ASK COOLIDGE TO LINE UP TAX OPPONENTS

Republicans Working Hard to Swing the Insurgents Over to Compromise on Mellon Plan

Washington, Feb. 16.—Aid of the Republican insurgents was sought today by G. O. P. leaders in the House in an effort to ward off defeat in the fight over income tax rates.

An attempt will also be made to have President Coolidge use his influence to line up Republicans out of sympathy with the organization's stand for a compromise surtax minimum of 25 per cent.

Representative Longworth, Republican leader, called into conference various members of the insurgent bloc, among them Representative Nelson, Wisconsin, leader of the group, who indicated, on the floor yesterday that his faction would support the Garner proposal for a 44 per cent. maximum if the House rejected the suggestion of Representative Frear of Wisconsin, an insurgent, that the present 50 per cent. surtax maximum be maintained.

Longworth, it was said, planned to seek a compromise on a figure below 44 per cent. with the insurgents, realizing that if they threw their support to the Democrats when the vote comes next week on the new tax schedule, the Democratic rates will receive a majority.

Nelson insists his group controls at least twenty votes and he has declared its members undoubtedly will stand together.

The House went into its third day of general debate on the tax bill today. Only twenty members were on the floor when discussion began. Democrats consumed the first hour in attacks on the Mellon income rates and arguments for the Garner plan.

HAYNES AUTHORIZES SHIFT IN DRY CHIEFS

Washington, Feb. 16.—Shifting of prohibition enforcement group heads by State directors whenever it is believed such action will work to the advantage of the service, has been authorized by Prohibition Commissioner Haynes in letters to the State directors.

The new policy will be similar to that followed in frequently changing "national chiefs of the mobile force" the theory that they become stale if kept in one area indefinitely.

RULING HITS FORMER TREASURY WORKERS

Washington, Feb. 16.—Secretary Mellon took steps today to curtail the practice under which former treasury officials have acted in some cases as attorneys for claimants before the department in cases which were pending while they were in government service. Under the new regulation no one can appear on behalf of such a claim within a period of two years after he leaves government employ.

REPORT GREECE WILL PROCLAIM REPUBLIC

Karlsbad, Germany, Feb. 16.—Proclamation of a republic in Greece is imminent, according to unofficial reports received today from Athens. It is said a republic may be established within the next week. Military-republicans in the Greek National Assembly are clamoring for a republican form of government without the formality of a plebiscite.

NEW TRAFFIC RULES IN EFFECT MONDAY

Boston's revised traffic rules go into effect Monday. The traffic squad has been ordered to enforce them strictly. The privilege of 24-hour parking is done away with and autos cannot be parked in certain districts after 1 a. m.

The period of parking in certain streets around the Common has been extended from 30 minutes to one hour. Another change is that of making one-way streets one way for twenty-four hours instead of the present twelve hours.

EGGS TAKE 8 TO 11 CENTS TUMBLE

New York, Feb. 16.—A drop of from eight to eleven cents in egg prices on the local market in the last week was attributed today to mild weather conditions in the producing sections. During the recent advance, occasioned by prospects of an actual dearth in the supply, receipts of fresh eggs averaged about 60,000 cases, less than half the requirement, and merchants resorted to storage stock to meet the demand.

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FIN. COM.'S OWN EXPERTS TO SEE CITY'S BOOKS

Refuse to Take Auditor's Figures to Determine Necessity of Tax Rate Boost

The Finance Commission has refused to accept anyone's word for the condition of the city's finances.

The members have ignored the budget commissioner and the city auditor and have placed their own auditors on the city's books to determine whether or not an increase in the tax rate is necessary.

Early in the month Mayor Curley appeared before the committee on Municipal Affairs and asked that the tax limit be increased from $12.75 to $13.25.

The committee asked the Finance Commission for some data, despite the fact that Mayor Curley wanted immediate action.

The city budget, as already prepared, calls for expenditures of $29,100,000. Even should Mayor Curley secure the higher tax rate, the city's income for the ensuing year is estimated at only $27,828,465, while the present year's income from all sources will not exceed $25,578,841.

The Finance Commission was criticized for delaying the fixing of the city's tax rate, but the commission decided to go over the city books themselves or have its own experts do it.

100 STRIKE IN SHOE PLANT IN HAVERHILL

Haverhill, Feb. 16.—Six weeks of peace and calm in the shoe workers' union ranks, following the signing of an agreement, ended today when the crew of the stitching and cutting room of the Ruddock shoe factory, 100 in number, went on strike. The stitchers and cutters allege that an agreement to pay them off at the close of work was violated. All departments were laid off last night with the exception of the stitching and cutting room.

COUNTESS WINS POINT IN MODICA SUIT

New York, Feb. 16 (U.S.)—Supreme Court Justice Wagner ruled that the Countess Margaret-Thaw-Lauder-Cernegia De Perigny would not be required to submit to an examination before trial in the $500,000 suit for alienation of affections brought by Mrs. Madeline Helen Modica. Mrs. Modica charges the wealthy society woman stole the love of her husband, Emanuel Victor Modica.

AERIAL CORTEGE AT SPERRY'S FUNERAL

Garden City, N. Y., Feb. 16.—An aerial cortege followed the body of Lawrence B. Sperry, the American aviator, drowned when his plane fell into the English Channel last December, to the grave this afternoon. Major-General Mason M. Patrick, chief of the Army Air Service, flew from Washington to Mitchell Field, but attended the funeral on land. At the grave an aerial cortege dropped flowers on the coffin.

GANNA WALSKA SAILS TO PRODUCE OPERAS

New York, Feb. 16 (I.N.S.).—Ganna Walska, wife of Harold McCormick sailed today for Paris on the liner Berengaria to produce a series of Mozart operas in the French capital. Whether she would sing in the productions, she said, was undecided, depending entirely upon the advice of Walter Straram, her "artistic guide and mentor," who also sailed on the Berengaria.

DECIDE TO LEAVE U. S. ARMY ALONE

Washington, Feb. 16.—Hearings on the annual army appropriation bill, which have been in progress for two months, were concluded today by a House sub-committee.

Members are agreed that the present strength of the regular army—125,000 enlisted men and 12,000 officers, should be maintained for another year.

Would Be New York Mayor

Miami, Fla., Feb. 16.—David H. Knott, for four years sheriff of New York county, announced his candidacy for mayor of New York City in an interview with the News-Metropolis today at the Hotel Nautilus. This follows a conference he had with Mayor John F. Hylan, of New York, in Palm Beach.

$20,000 Blaze

Manchester, N. H., Feb. 16.—Fire of undetermined origin today caused damage estimated at $20,000 to the Gelinas building, Manchester and Chestnut streets. Buildings adjoining were threatened.

What's Wrong Here

International News Reel Photo.
RALPH PULITZER AND WIFE

PULITZER CAN'T SOLVE MIND OF WIFE

London, Feb. 16 (Universal Cable)—"No man should attempt to say what a woman he has not seen for three days may decide to do.

"Therefore, I am unable to affirm or deny the suggestion that my wife is instituting divorce proceedings in Paris—but I can deny categorically the rumor that I intend to bring any such proceedings."

Ralph Pulitzer, who is at Claridge's Hotel here, made the above statement regarding the reports of discord with Mrs. Pulitzer.

"I am departing from London today on a continental tour which will include Vienna, Bucharest, Prague and Berlin. I shall stop Sunday evening in Paris to see my wife and discover for myself what the situation is."

CARTER HAS KEY TO TOMB, BUT CAN'T GO IN

Dispute Over Tut in Deadlock, Though Compromise Is Anticipated

LUXOR, EGYPT, Feb. 16 (A.P.)—Regarding the difficulties between Howard Carter and the Egyptian government in connection with the tomb of Tut-ankh-amen, the Associated Press was officially informed today that the Egyptian government had decided to take energetic steps to fulfil what it considers are its obligations towards science and the public.

London, Feb. 16.—The dispute between Howard Carter and the Egyptian officials over the conditions surrounding the work in the tomb of Tutankhamen has reached a deadlock, according to dispatches received here, and the peculiar position of the moment is that Carter holds the keys to the tomb, but is not allowed to enter.

Mr. Carter, according to the Cairo correspondent of the Daily Mail, wrote to the premier, Said Zaglul Pasha, threatening to take legal action against the government, to which the premier replied that Carter was free to take action but the government was determined that the appointed days for visiting the tomb be observed. He added:

"I am sorry to have to remind you that the tomb is not your property. The science which you rightly invoke cannot conceive that. Owing to the incident over the visits of people whom you wished to favor, you and your colleagues will abandon your investigations, in which not only Egypt but the whole world is interested."

The Cairo correspondent of the Morning Post reports there is belief that Carter will be given the option of continuing the work subject to certain definite conditions.

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SPORTING AMERICAN

B. A. A. Will Send Best Boys

The best boys on the B. A. A. track team will journey to Gotham to compete in the New York A. C. games next Thursday. Hahn, Robertson, Driscoll, Dudley, Brown and Sullivan among stars.

Eagle Five in Vermont

The Boston College basketball team will again play in Burlington, Vt., tonight. They are slated to meet the strong St. Michael's quintet. Eagles should play great game in Green Mountain district.

HONEYBOY FINNEGAN REGULAR TWO-FISTED FIGHTING MAN

TACKLES DREW AT TRIPLE A

By JACK CONWAY

Dick (Honeyboy) Finnegan, Dorchester junior lightweight, who meets Johnny Drew of Worcester in a ten-round bout at the Armory A. A.'s show at the Grand Opera House on Monday night, is a typical fighting man. As a boy of seventeen, he enlisted in the Navy for the World War. Now at the age of twenty-one he steps forth to win Johnny Dundee's world's junior lightweight title.

More than 100,000 of the good citizens of Dorchester believe that Honeyboy will eventually batter his way to a championship. He's young, strong, courageous, a terrific puncher and has BRAINS. This last asset will be of more importance to him in his quest for ring laurels than all the others combined.

Unless a boxer can think fast and CORRECTLY he is doomed to failure. Men like Eddie Shevlin, Jack Britton, Jack Dempsey and Benny Leonard won international athletic honors because they first learned how to think properly.

HONEYBOY'S FATHER DIED FIGHTING WITH MARINES.

Al Carroll, Finnegan's manager, says the Dorchester youth will not be satisfied until he is at the head of his boxing class. Which is the right way for a young manager to talk.

Finnegan comes from a fighting family. His father, like Honeyboy, answered the service call of Uncle Sam. He joined the Marines and was killed in action while carrying on over there.

While in the Navy, Honeyboy started boxing. He soon became a star in the featherweight division. His amazing punching power won for him the championship of the Atlantic fleet in the featherweight class. Later he disposed of the champion of the Pacific fleet. Bobby Gosher, army champion, was his next service victim. This victory made Finnegan featherweight champion of the navy and the army.

Jose Lombardo, Panama champion, was conquered by Finnegan in a twelve-round bout at Panama. Fifteen thousand persons saw the contest which was staged at Panama while the American fleet was in port.

Harry Gordon of New York, who won a decision over Carl Tramaine in New York last Summer, also lost to Finnegan. The Dorchester youth won another championship when he invaded Canada and toppled Bobby Chisom, Canadian title holder.

JOHNNY DREW WILL GIVE FINNEGAN SEVERE BATTLE.

Honeyboy will receive the big test of his career when he mingles with Drew on Monday night. Drew, under the management of Jackie Williams, is one of the most promising 130-pounders in the country. He proved his class at Worcester when he won a decision over Red Chapman. He later lost a close decision to Chapman after a stirring quarrel at Mechanics Building.

Whitey Allen of Hyde Park, who recently engaged in a couple of torrid tussles with Eddie Record, will have Ted Coolidge of Manchester, N. H. as an opponent in the semi-final of eight sessions. In his last start, Coolidge won over Neddo Flanagan of Malden.

There will also be two eights.

Larry Malia of South Boston will box eight rounds with Charley Donovan of Dorchester, while another eight rounder will bring together Nick Madonna of Lexington and Dave Powers of the South End.

DELANEY UNDER CONTRACT TO BATTLE GREB

Jack Delaney, who clashes with Tommy Loughran in a ten-round bout at the Commercial A. C.'s show at Mechanics Building on Tuesday night, is also under contract to battle Harry Greb. Frank Harder, who formerly managed Wilson and Delaney, made the match prior to the first Wilson bouts in New York.

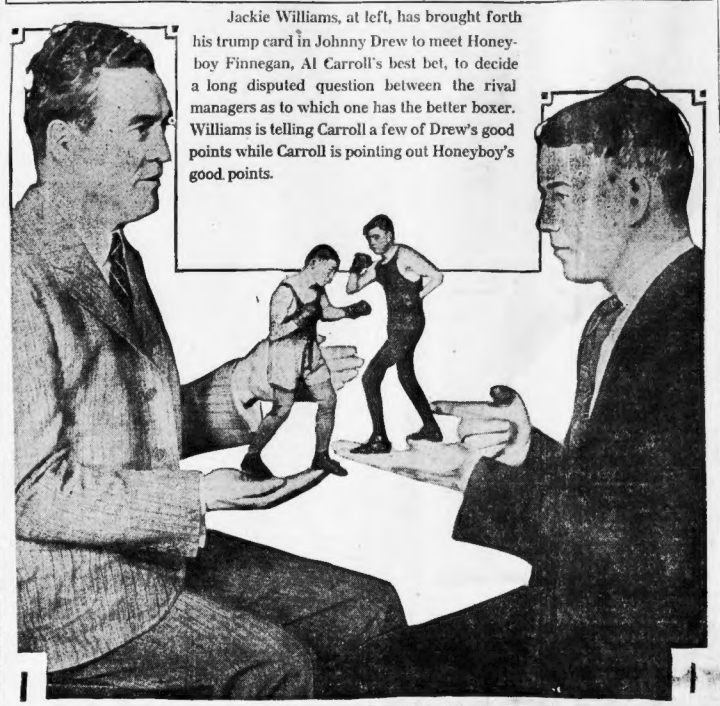
Here's a copy of the contract:

"Articles of agreement entered into this day, 25th of June, 1923, between James Marlow, manager of Johnny Wilson, middleweight champion of the world, party of the first part and James Mason, manager of Harry Greb, challenger, party of the second part.

"Whereas said James Mason, on behalf of Harry Greb is desirous of matching said challenger Greb, against the said champion Wilson, in a boxing contest for the middle weight title, and whereas the said Marlow is desirous of having Jack Delaney, a middleweight boxer under his management, engage in a boxing contest with said challenger Greb, now therefore it is hereby mutually agreed by and between the parties hereto that in consideration of the party of the first part giving the said challenger Greb an opportunity to win said title, the said Harry Greb will box said Jack Delaney, at a date and place to be selected and that said party of first part hereby agrees to give to said Harry Greb for said boxing match between Greb and Delaney 25 per cent. of net gate receipts of said boxing contest between said Greb and Delaney, and further agrees that the said 25 per cent. of the said gate receipts shall not be less than $10,000.

"JAMES M. MASON."
"FRANK MARLOW."

Boxers to Settle Managers' Dispute

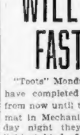


Jackie Williams, at left, has brought forth his trump card in Johnny Drew to meet Honeyboy Finnegan, Al Carroll's best bet, to decide a long disputed question between the rival managers as to which one has the better boxer. Williams is telling Carroll a few of Drew's good points while Carroll is pointing out Honeyboy's good points.

JACKIE WILLIAMS AL CARROLL

MONDT SAYS HE WILL SET A FAST PACE

"Toots" Mondt and Paul Zanovich have completed their training and from now until they are called to the mat in Mechanics Building on Monday night they will do only the lightest kind of work to keep their muscles supple and at their highest efficiency.



Toots Mondt

Promoter Tuohey had them examined and both were declared in perfect condition. This also holds true of John Pesak and Elmer Saunders, who will meet in the semi-final.

Both Mondt and Zanovich are confident of the result. Zanovich believes that the "breaks" gave Mondt the victory in their last bout, but is sure that he is the better wrestler of the pair and that he will prove this to the satisfaction of everybody, especially Mondt, on Monday night.

Mondt says that he will not be surprised this time, as he was before for now he knows what he is up against and will set an even faster pace that will make the fans forget the swift action of their previous torrid session.

That Saunders, who will meet Pesak, is another fine performer is evidenced by his record, which includes a great battle in which he gave Lewis all he could do to retain his title. Since then Saunders has improved and banks on giving Pesak the battle of his life.

Basketball Notes

The Boys' Club of the Pine Tree State call on the Boston Boys' Club at the latter's gym tonight. The invading five has defeated all teams in Maine and is out to turn back the Boston Boys' tonight.

John Powers.

Last season the youths from the Pine Tree State battled the Boston team in two games, which the latter five won by one basket in each tussle, while one game was forced to go two extra five-minute periods before the local organization scored the winning basket.

Tonight's attraction should draw big, as Boston folks know the ability of the local team, while the record of the Portland lads is outstanding among the leading teams of New England.

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St. Mary's of Cambridge will go to Brockton this evening to engage in a South Shore league tussle. The St. Mary's quintet will have Eddie Kelly back in the line-up and George Beaudreau, former Watertown player, who has joined the Cambridge outfit.

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The Boys' Club of Boston "Orioles" want a game with any fast 125-pound team for tonight. Call Charlestown 1775 from 2:30 to 4:30 Saturday afternoon.

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John Hancock the new team in the Greater Boston League will play its third game of the week against the Pere Marquette Knights at South Boston High School Ha'.

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The Newsboys A. C. of Cambridge are seeking games with all 90-100 pound teams in Greater Boston. All West End House teams preferred or would like to hear from teams in this class away from home. Write to A. Braberg, No. 892 Massachusetts avenue, Cambridge or phone University 0857—anytime after two.

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The Westminster A. C. of the West End desires games with best of 90 pound teams in Greater Boston. Alard, O'Donnell, Alesi, Manzo, Goodwins and Mills make up the team. Teams seeking action communicate with Herbert O'Donnell, No. 19 Blossom street, City.

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The Wilton, New Hampshire basket ball team, is in hopes of meeting Concord, Laconia, Franklin and Tilton. Communicate with T. J. Hurley, Wilton, N. H.

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The Roxbury Midgets would like to hear from 69-70 pound teams in or around Boston. Write to John P. Burke, No. 905 Dudley street, Roxbury. Telephone Roxbury 3968 J.

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The Parker Social Club of Roxbury would like to hook up with best 150 pound teams in the State, games away from home preferred. Call Manager T. A. Walsh, Jamaica 1900-M.

Yale Freshmen Win

New Haven, Feb. 16 (Universal)—The Yale Freshmen defeated the Hartford High School basketball team, 33 to 13, and led from start to finish. Raymond, Jones and Kline starred for Yale and Lamoreaux for Hartford.

Program of Carnival for Essex County Sanatorium

2. P. M.—Exhibition of Fancy Skating, Miss Leah Kruger.
2:15—One-mile amateur skating race
2:30—Exhibition of Pair Skating—Miss Leah Cruger and Willie Frick.
2:45—Special Amateur Handicap Race, Walter Thorne.
3:00—Fancy Skating Exhibition, Willie Frick.
3:30—Hockey Game, Essex Aggies and Danvers High.
4:30—General Skating.
6:30—Music by United Shoe Machinery Band, Beverly.
7:30—Fancy Skating Exhibition, Miss Leah Cruger.
7:45—Fancy Skating Exhibition, Willie Frick.
Fancy Pair Skating, Miss Cruger and Willie Frick.
8:30—General Skating.

LUIS ANGEL FIRPO TO FIGHT LODGE TONIGHT

Buenos Ayres, Feb. 15—Luis Angel Firpo and "Farmer" Lodge are fit and ready for the 15-round boxing bout in which they will participate tonight in a ring pitched in the River Plate football field.

It is estimated that 30,000 spectators will be present, attracted by the opportunity to see their idol, Firpo, in real action.

The opinion of the local sport writers is unanimous that Firpo will be able to dispose of the American heavyweight whenever he gets ready to turn loose his powerful right punches.

Lodge says he intends to put up the fight of his life to defeat the Wild Bull of the Pampas.

JAMAICA PLAIN AND HYDE PARK WIN AT ARENA

Jamaica Plain High defeated Brighton High hockey team, 1 to 0 in the first game of a twin bill in the Boston School league today at the Arena. Hyde Park garnered the second contest from East Boston, 2 to 1, in a game full of action.

The Jamaica Plain victory came in the second period, when Ray snatched the rubber at quarter and romped through the Brighton defense for the only tally of the game.

Hyde Park showed superior knowledge and speed against the boys from East Boston, starting off in the first period and banging home two goals against one for their opponents.

The first counter came when Antonis swept down on the East Boston cage and connected with a rebounding puck and drove it by Sheehan. A few minutes later Shea started down the surface, passed to Lennon and the latter cut it in.

Clark of East Boston saved his school from a shutout when he nicked the puck at centre ice and carried it through the entire Hyde Park sextet and tallied.

Shortly after the second period got underway Lennon again scored. The Hyde Park boy dodged through the Noddle Island lads and brushing close to the net drove the disc in.

Summary:

JAMAICA PLAIN.	BRIGHTON.
Hicks, r.w.	l.w., Conner
Raymond, c.	c., White
Kelleher, l.w.	r.w., Scott
Marshall, r.d.	l.d., Tracey
Norton, l.d.	r.d., Burke
McCluskey, g.	g., Bullock

Goals—Raymond. Time—Two 15-minute periods. Referee—Quinland and Richards.

HYDE PARK.	EAST BOSTON.
Cosgrove, r.w.	l.w., Dawson
Shea, c.	c., Clark
Lennon, l.w.	r.w., Aiken, Kirby
Antonis, r.d.	l.d., Kirby, Scott
Murphy, l.d.	r.d., Burnett
Fallon, g.	g., Sheehan, Riggin

Scores—Hyde Park, 2; East Boston, 1. Goals—Antonis, Lennon (2). Clark. Time—Two 15-minute periods. Referees—Quinland and Richards.

ARENA
HOCKEY TONIGHT 8:15
B. A. A. vs. ABEGWEITS
Boston Hockey Club vs. New Haven
(United States League)
Public Skating Sunday Afternoon and Evening

ZBYSZKO AND STASIAK IN BIG BATTLE

Wladek Zbyszko, the Mighty Son of Poland, versus Stanley Stasiak, the Lion of Poland, in a finish match is the bout Matchmaker Paul Bowser is offering up at the Grand Opera House on Thursday night.

Wladek Zbyszko

Every attempt to match these men for the past two years has failed. One principal or the other wanted something in his favor that held up the match.

Wladek is acknowledged to be one of the world's greatest wrestlers. He has beaten every wrestler living that has ever defeated him. He was formerly world's champion. He defeated Ed Lewis on three different occasions.

Several times he went through elimination contests and came out to wrestle for top honors only to find himself pitted against his brother, so the contest never came off. This was true in New York City some time ago when he wrestled Joe Stecher. After beating Stecher, he couldn't wrestle for the title because his brother Stanislaus was champion. He is the present holder of the Graeco-Roman championship of the world.

Stasiak needs no introduction. He has made Boston his home for two years and hasn't even lost one bout in all that time. In addition to Boston he has wrestled in nearly all the New England towns and his record holds good just the same. He is young and is coming. It will be some bout when these two giants get together. In the opening bout, Jack Albright will meet Nick Bosinis.

Another favorite to appear on the card is Waino Ketonen, the champion middleweight wrestler of the world. He will be matched with some good middle or light heavyweight yet to be secured. This is a show that the public has wanted for a long time and from present indications there won't be any seats left when the referee calls the men to the centre of the ring.

PIONEER A. A. BOXING SHOW COMES FEB. 22

What promises to be one of the biggest amateur shows ever held in Lynn will be held by the Pioneer A. A. at Casino Hall, Washington's Birthday afternoon.

A large entry list has been received which contains the names of the best boys in this section.

A heavyweight class will be staged, in addition to three other open classes at 112, 118 and 135 pounds.

GREEN HANDICAPPED FOR MEET WITH TECH

Hanover, N. H., Feb. 15—With the latest two relays, Captain J. B. Dawson, '25, who left college, and C. W. Graydon, '25, ill at the hospital, Dartmouth will be severely handicapped against Tech gym team in the first meet of the season.

This is the first gym meet held in Hanover for several years.

HAVERHILL BEATS LYNN CLASSICAL

Haverhill, Feb. 16.—Lynn Classical, after eight straight victories and in line for the State title was defeated by the Haverhill High School team, 17 to 11.

The game was full of fine plays and hotly contested from start to finish. Haverhill was the star.

Mandell Won on a Foul

New York, Feb. 16.—Joe Mandell of Philadelphia, won on a foul from Lew Snyder of Brooklyn in the third round of a six round match. Harold Abbot of Rockaway Beach and George West of England, fought a six round draw.

GALLSTONES

Dr. Paddock's Prescription a Simple Home Treatment Advised to Stop Suffering

Doctor says about one person in ten has infected gallbladder, the result of neglect often leads to surgery. But many people are too old, weak or ill for dangerous operation. These people reasonably wish to avoid suffering and obtain relief with medicines. The Doctor began specializing on these troubles 35 years ago and his treatments have been of untold value to thousands all over the U. S. Hundreds of letters testify to health restored and freedom from suffering. Rather than suffer or let conditions grow worse and before you decide on surgery write the Doctor for his FREE BOOKLET describing gallstones and explaining this home treatment.

DR. E. E. PADDOCK
Box 301-BB, Kansas City, Mo.

'JOCKO' CONLON ENTERS 'AD' BUSINESS

"Jocko" Conlon, ex-captain of the Harvard nine, who was with the Braves last season, has decided to retire from baseball and enter the advertising business.

Jocko Conlon

He and President Christy Mathewson have discussed the subject from all angles. Matty acted in the capacity of a friendly adviser, as much as an official of the Boston club.

Conlon was anxious to satisfy the Boston club in every way, but he felt that he had an opportunity to go into business, which might not be available one year or two years hence.

The chances are that he would have passed up opportunity if the Boston club pressed him to stay, but Mathewson did not wish to take the responsibility of urging him to stick to baseball and so allowed Conlon to make his own choice.

He told Conlon, however, that if for any reason he should reconsider his decision, the Boston club would be glad to hear from him.

Conlon says that he believes he has better prospects in his new line of work than in baseball, but it is still a question in the minds of many if this is so.

White Defeats Leahy

Worcester, Feb. 15. — Tommy Leahy, Worcester, lost the decision to Scoops White, Worcester. Both were over the lightweight limit.

Billy Robson, Malden kayoed Young Simones, Worcester, in the first round of the semi-final.

Hockey Lineups At The Arena

BOSTON	NEW HAVEN
Martin, lw.	rw, Fynan
Hutchinson, c.	c, S. Veno
Bright, rw	lw, Shay
Stubbs, ld	rd, Armstrong
Owen, rd	ld, Cully
Drown, g	g, Cox

B. A. A.	ABEGWEITS
Enright, lw	rw, Gordon
Geran, c	c, McEachern
Cronin, rw	lw, E. Prowse
Smith, ld	rd, Kelly
Healy, rd	ld, Moore
Nickle, g	g, Dougan

DOUBLE-HEADER MAKES A HIT WITH FANS

New Haven stands between the Boston Hockey Club and a top tie with the B. A. A. in the Eastern section of the United States League. They will meet tonight at the Arena.

Teddy Behan

In the other half of the double-header the B. A. A. will tackle the Abegweits of Charlottetown, P. E. I.

All sorts of hockey will be jammed into this bargain attraction.

A rip-tearing lot of New Haven players will be in action. Norm Shay and his Bears refuse to be counted out of the race. For the first time in many weeks both Captains Joe Stubbs and Shay will be able to send their full strength on the ice in the best condition.

By special permission Chick Williams will be in the Abegweit forward line. Chick played all his early hockey with this team. He played for the Abegweits against the Canadian Olympic team six weeks ago.

Fred Lowery

Manager Brown will place 2,000 admission tickets on sale at 7:30 p. m.

By special arrangement with Shepard's Stores the double-header will be broadcast through the WNAC station.

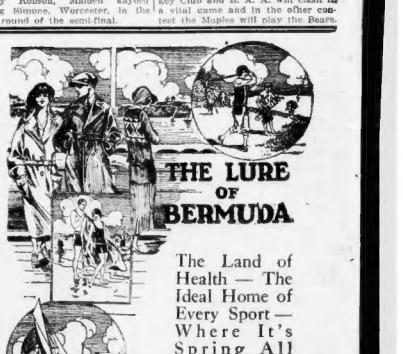
Another great session of hockey is scheduled at the Arena next week. Harvard and Princeton will play in the Big Three series Monday night.

A double-header is scheduled for Wednesday night. Harvard will tackle Hamilton College of Clinton, N. Y., in one game and Boston College and the Maples will clash in the Winsor Cup series in another.

Washington's Birthday will be a lively day. In the afternoon a double-header by teams from the Intercholastic League will be played.

Spike Fynan

On the holiday evening all the Eastern teams will be in action in a double-header. The two leading teams, the Boston Hockey Club and B. A. A. will clash in a vital game and in the other contest the Maples will play the Bears.



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SPORTING AMERICAN

Athletic Stars Clash

Tonight the cream of New England's college athletes will compete in the numerous title events, while Cornell, Dartmouth and Harvard will hold triangular meet.

John Gallo in New York Race

John Gallo, popular young Boston bicycle rider, has entered in the coming six-day grind to be staged at the Madison Square Garden. This will be Gallo's first attempt in long grind.

TRIANGULAR GAMES AND SCHOOL MEET STIR UP ATHLETES

N.E.A.A.A.U. RECORDS WILL BE ATTACKED

Tonight's track meet at Mechanics Building promises to be classy. Jake Driscoll is the only local athlete of ability who will not compete, and his absence should make the New England A. A. A. U. "600" all the more thrilling.

Harvard, Dartmouth and Cornell will meet in a triangular competition. In their meet the fields have been pruned so that there will be no crowding.

The New England championships attracted 147 individuals and a total entry of 324.

New records are probable. One of the feature races should be the two-mile event, with Bob Brown, formerly of Cornell, who ran in 9m. 35 4-5s. at New York the other day, and George Lermond, the Boston College flash, as starters.

Cornell's entries in the forty-yard dash will be H. A. Russell and J. H. Swan, sophomores, who a year ago, hooked the list of freshman sprinters; Wright and R. F. Graef.

JAEGER HEADS ENTRY LIST IN 45-YARDS HURDLES.

In the forty-five-yard hurdle race O. C. Jaeger heads the entry list. H. C. Stone, who placed in the low hurdles at the Intercollegiates two years ago will compete and either Harold D. Keen or T. H. Booth, the last a newcomer.

Swan and either G. D. Croter or W. C. Hennings, both familiar figures in mile relay running and the 440-yard dash, will run in the 300. Hennings and Croier will also run on the mile relay team, with A. B. Coykendall and either A. O. Severance, a new man, or H. C. Rosenthal, a member of last year's quartet.

In the 1,000-yard run the Cornell entries are headed by Captain E. B. Kirby, intercollegiate champion in the mile. Kirby, according to present expectations, will run both the 1,000-yard and the mile.

HE WILL BE SUPPORTED BY BAUCH IN THOUSAND.

In the shorter race he will be supported by Alfred Rauch and H. S. Gerry, while in the mile two sophomores, A. B. MacNeil and D. B. Lee, will run with him.

The two-mile selections are A. W. DeProsse, N. H. Pyztherch and R. P. Bullen, cross-country runners, but not up to the usual Cornell standard.

In the high jump Alfred G. Doppel, with a record of 6 feet, Charles Bradley with a mark of 5 feet 11 and H. C. Stone and F. J. Novotny who have cleared 5 feet 10 are all slated to compete.

TWO POLE VAULTERS HAVE DONE 12 FEET.

Two pole vaulters who have done 12 feet, H. H. Wilson, a newcomer, and C. K. Greening who placed at the Intercollegiates last Spring, will represent Cornell.

In the shot put E. W. Bowen has done 41 feet and better.

Bowen and A. H. Hardewyck will throw the 35-pound weight, and each has made a satisfactory showing.

In the broad jump the men who will compete are **F. J. Novotny, Sheffield, Delong and Allen.**

GOODWILLIE WILL NOT RUN ON HIS TEAM.

The freshman relay team will consist of Kalkner, Mason, Werle and Rhines.

E. C. Goodwillie, the crack freshman sprinter, who as a school boy, had a record of 9 4-5 in the 100-yard dash and 21 3-5 in the 220, will not run in the relay, but will confine his efforts to the 40-yard dash for freshmen.

AMATEURS BATTLE AT FALL RIVER

The crowning event of the amateur boxing season will take place on Monday night when the "Caseys" of Fall River will stage a program of star bouts. Many of the best "simon pures" of New England have sent their entries to Lecturer "Bob" Boyle of the K. of C. and with a star card of boxers on hand, the fame are assured of a high class show with action every second of the way.

Entries have been received from Connelly brothers of Brockton, Howe and Jimmy, who have been consistent winners in tourneys around Boston, Henry Rainville, the 126 pound champion from New Bedford, Tony Silvia and Charley Mendoza of Taunton and many other high class youngsters. With this high class card of boys the tourney on Monday night is going to pack them in.

Order of Events At Big Meet Tonight

TRIANGULAR

40-yards (Freshmen) dash.
40-yards (Varsity) dash.
One-mile run.
300-yard run.
600-yard run.
45-yards high hurdles.
Two-miles run.
1000-yards run.
Freshmen relay.
Varsity relay.
Running high jump.
Putting 16-pound shot.

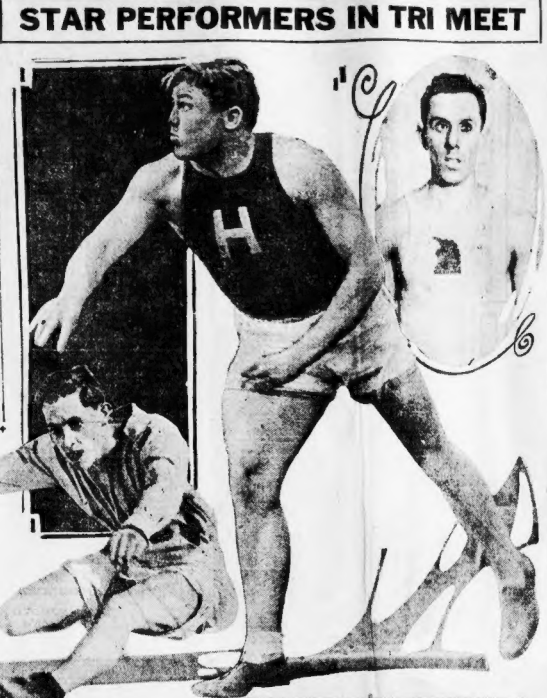
AT HARVARD CAGE

Running broad jump.
Pole evault.
Throwing the 35-pound weight.

NEW ENGLANDS

40-yards dash.
300-yards run.
45-yards high hurdles.
One-mile walk.
600-yards run.
Two-miles run.
Running high jump.
Putting 16-pound shot.
Throwing 35-pound weight.

STAR PERFORMERS IN TRI MEET



AT THE RACETRACKS

New Orleans Entries

FIRST RACE—$1,000, maiden, two-year-olds, colts and geldings, three and one-half furlongs, claiming (14):

Step by Step	114	Little Jimmy
Honest Man	118	Jim Bill
Belpre	116	Wm E. Stewart
Try Again	111	Blue Card
Tomonto	112	John D.
Confluente	2	Furnaught
Master Blue	116	Joe McMahon

SECOND RACE—$1,000, claiming, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs (14):

Caligula	106	Miss Ku
Day Dog	112	Cleopatra
Firewracker	112	Maud Harvey
Piedmont	112	Swordsake
Gold Thief	110	Gallinule
xPalmetto	101	Gold Mark
Par Kant	103	Valiant Alyer

THIRD RACE—$1,000, claiming, three-year-olds, six furlongs (9):

xBuck Pond	106	Leonard G.
Fredericktown	107	Queen's Charming
Miss Donnie	105	Kinsky Lane
Dorky	109	Norseland
xExchange	102	

FOURTH RACE—$1,000, claiming, four-year-olds and up, mile and seventy yards (13):

Master Hand	104	Lord Wrack
xEast Indian	111	Golden Billows
Dr. Howard	111	Dr. Arch
Thard	112	Water Girl
Boudoir	112	Escort
xWaiti	114	Lord Angus
xFlying Devil	110	

FIFTH RACE—$1,000, claiming, four-year-olds and up, mile and one-sixteenth (14):

xDantzic	112	Tex
Tulse	110	Dr. Rae
Reel Foot	107	Valiant Alyer
Metal	107	Toddy Toast
St. Pete	114	Pomaroo
Kennesaw	109	Lierre
Loveslave	104	Kennesaw

SEVENTH RACE—$1,000, claiming, three-year-olds and up, mile and one-sixteenth (14):

Secretary	111	Shotgun
Our Birthday	100	Shortlist
Eddie Jr.	107	Twinned Zeal
Lehee	101	Dr. Herts
Sword	109	Royal Georgo
xSearchlight 2nd	110	Norah
Our Betsy	106	Antiquity

xAppreniice allowance claimed.
Weather cloudy; track fast.

Havana Entries

FIRST RACE—$600 three-year-olds and up; claiming; six furlongs (8):

April	98	Al Thomas
Yagima	98	Concurron
Don't Bother Me	102	Ring Rose
Gipsy Joe	105	Felix M.

SECOND RACE—$600; four-year-olds and up; claiming; six furlongs (10):

xPostlude	99	Momentum
xHarris Moore	101	Forest Queen
Betty Mae	106	Springvale
Whispering	104	Lady Allen
Kendall	105	Forewarn

THIRD RACE—$600; three-year-olds and up; claiming; six furlongs (9):

Regis Girl	93	Odessos
Stella Maris	105	Johnny O'Connell
Opala	105	Elcanard
Biddie Dee	105	John Spohn
Miss Randi	105	

FOURTH RACE—$600; three-year-olds; claiming; six furlongs (9):

Impossible	97	Fire Tona
Minnie	103	Long Green
Kathye	103	Trafalgar
Ancestress	103	

FIFTH RACE—$700; four-year-olds and up; claiming; mile and a sixteenth (9):

xJack Frost	99	Ruddles
Jacquerie	101	Idaho
Tah Zad	99	Cabin Creek
xAmerican Soldier	105	Ambrose
Medical	103	

SIXTH RACE—$600; three-year-olds and up; the El Encanto handicap five and a half furlongs (7):

Whirlwind	104	Topango
Mary P. Gardner	105	Prince Regent
Marionette	106	Right On Tone
Mountain Leader	107	

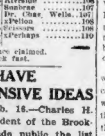
SEVENTH RACE—$700; three-year-olds and up; claiming, five and a half furlongs (11):

Light Bells	96	Riverside
Jolly	97	Sunbrae
Mabel K.	101	Pr. Chas. Wells
Blanche Mac	104	Pelion
xIlidia	105	Frescora
xFlinder	105	Perhaps
True America	105	

xAppreniice allowance claimed.
Weather clear; track fast.

DODGERS HAVE EXPENSIVE IDEAS

New York, Feb. 16.—Charles H. Ebbets, Sr., president of the Brooklyn Dodgers, made public the list of holdouts who have failed to come to terms with the club. The list includes Burleigh Grimes, star pitcher; Zach Taylor, catcher; Gene Bailey, outfielder; Johnny Jones, $25,000 Portland shortstop; Andy High, infielder; Bert Griffith, outfielder; Ray French, infielder; Bernie Neis, outfielder, and Moe Berg, infielder.



Burleigh Grimes.

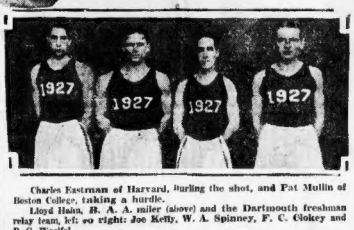
'MINUTE MEN" START HAVERHILL BOOM

Haverhill, Feb. 16.—One result of the convention of the National Shoe Retailers' Association will be a move by Haverhill manufacturers to increase the production of Mo-Kay shoes in local factories to compete successfully with St. Louis manufacturers. Manufacture of turn shoes is the principal business of local manufacturers at present, but following out the idea presented by the "Minute Men of 1924" editorials in the Boston American, the manufacturers intend to bring more business to New England.

Four Yankees Sign

New York, Feb. 16.—Signed contracts of four players, Mike Mc-Nally, Hunky Haines, Mike Gazella and Luke Urban, were received today by the Yankees.

Only a few of the players responsible for the American League and world's champions last season

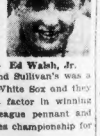


Charles Eastman of Harvard, Burling the shot, and Pat Mullin of Boston College, taking a hurdle.

Lloyd Hahn, B. A. A. miler (above) and the Dartmouth freshman relay team, left to right: Joe Kelly, W. A. Spinney, F. C. Clokey and P. G. Weelfel.

BILLY SULLIVAN, JR., TO CATCH ED WALSH, JR.

New Haven, Feb. 16 (Universal).—When Ed Walsh, Jr., now in St. John's Prep School in Danvers, goes to Notre Dame next Fall as pitcher, football and basketball star, he will meet a



Ed Walsh, Jr.

youngster from Portland, O., named Billy Sullivan, Jr., who is a catcher. It is possible that they will be the Notre Dame battery for three or four years.

Walsh's father was a pitcher, and Sullivan's was a catcher for the White Sox and they were the biggest factor in winning the American League pennant and the World's Series championship for Chicago in 1906.

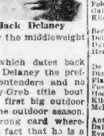
Walsh's home in is in Meriden. He was deputy sheriff in new Haven county jail for two years until he became an umpire last year.

Sullivan is in business near Portland.

Young Walsh is a three letter boy in his prep school, and although not much is known of young Sullivan, he is regarded as one of the most brilliant interscholastic catchers of the Pacific slope.

JACK DELANEY IS SMASHING PUNCHER

Jack Delaney of Bridgeport, who clashes with Tommy Loughran of Philadelphia at the Commercial A. C.'s show, Mechanics Building next Tuesday night, in three years in the ring has fought his way to the top of the heap until today he stands in line as the next opponent Jack Delaney for Harry Greb for the middleweight championship.



An agreement which dates back to last June gives Delaney the preference over all contenders and no doubt the Delaney-Greb title bout will be one of the first big outdoor fistic features of the outdoor season.

Delaney is a strong card wherever he goes. The fact that he is a real two fisted fighter who depends upon a smashing right hand punch to bring him home triumphant has made the Bridgeport mann one of the most popular drawing cards in the game.

In spite of the fact that Loughran has trimmed Harry Greb, Ted Moore and Johnny Wilson in three starts in this city, Harry Leiny, Delaney's manager is looking forward with interest and confidence to the bout. Lenny handled Wilson against Loughran last week and after the bout he spoke freely on Delaney's chances of winning.

"Delaney's right hand wallops will keep Loughran at bay and the Philadelphia boxer will have to keep his guard high all the way through to steer clear of a knockout," he said. Lenny is considered one of the best handlers of boxers in the country and he has been given credit for most of Johnny Wilson's development as a high class middleweight.

MORE THAN 500 ENTER HARVARD CLASSIC

This city will be the mecca for the schoolboy runners of New England today when the first annual indoor Harvard Interscholastic Track meet is staged at Mechanics Building.

Every high school of any importance, with the exception of Exeter, will be represented at the schoolboy classic of the season. More than 500 runners, who will represent twenty-seven high and prep schools, will help to make the first meet of the Crimson a success.

Entries have been received from Coburn, Worcester Academy, Tilton, Huntington, Andover, Exeter, Lawrence, Jamaica Plain, Framingham and Brighton have strong teams formidable enough to carry off the honors.

Huntington School, winner of their division last year against the same competitors, stands out as the probable winner of the prep school affair. They defeated Worcester Academy in a dual meet, and to judge by the performances of their color bearers have the goods that will put them over the top.

So that all schools entered regardless of size may share in the glory, both the high and prep schools have been divided into two divisions.

The committee in charge gave much attention to this important point which insures even the smallest school with those of a larger student body.

Huntington, Andover and Worcester Academy are listed in Class A for prep schools. This will give Noble & Greenough, Browne and Nichols, Powder Point, Country Day and other schools a chance to compete with opponents of their own grade.

The same condition exists in the public schools ranks. They have been divided according to past performances. In Class A Medford High apears out as the probable winner. Their strength is well distributed throughout the list of entries and they should gather enough first places to win.

Close followers of scholastic track look for one of the out-of-town teams to win the Class B division. Lawrence, Jamaica Plain, Framingham and Brighton have strong teams formidable enough to carry off the honors.

Schoolboys Who Will Compete Today

The complete list of entries at the Harvard Interscholastic meet at Mechanics Hall today follows:

PREP SCHOOL—CLASS A.

ANDOVER

Allen, R.
Brash, C.
Glendenning, G.
Holmes, W.

HUNTINGTON

Aaron, L.
Almond, W.
Burke, J.
Curren, H.
Daniel, J.
Dick, G.
Dooley, W.
Farrel, J.
Gawdet, E.
Gorman, W.
Grant, F.

WORCESTER

Coleman, A.
Conger, B.
French, C.
Patterson, S.
Iverton, F.
Martin, G.
McDonald, H.

PREP SCHOOLS—CLASS B.

BROWN AND NICHOLS

Barzee, G.
Child, R.
Moody, A.

COUNTRY DAY

Cleaney, A.
Corrier, B.
Garrison, C.
Green, D.
Hubbard, E.

DEAN

Bell, J.
Parfumerie, B.

MILTON

Greenslet, G.
Hall, W.
Nichols, G.

MOSES BROWN

Butterworth, R.
Delano, F.
Freeman, J.

NOBLE AND GREENOUGH

Ames, H.
Dunlop, A.
Fairchild, R.
Fernandez, V.
Gregg, A.
Hunneman, R.
Lowell, D.

PINKERTON

Barker, R.
Brooks, L.
Hodgkins, H.
Hubbard, H.
Morin, L.

POWDER POINT

Angeles, J.
Austin, P.
Austin, L.
Dana, J.
George, H.

SANBORN

Manfreda, A.

ST. JOHN'S

Beattie, J.
Bray, H.
Brennan, F.
Chisholm, E.
Dolan, J.
Garland, J.
Hall, J.
Herlihy, R.

HIGH SCHOOLS—CLASS A.

BROOKLINE

Anderson, A.
Anderson, V.
Bergerud, C.
Clifford, C.
Egan, W.
Orgias, W.
Nelson, R.

BOSTON COMMERCE

Armstrong, E.
Aaron, E.
Bennett, R.
Cassidy, H.
Cassidy, W.
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STAGE AND SCREEN
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AN IMPASSIVE FACE HAS CASH VALUE

By NICHOLAS YOUNG

THE comedian with a straight, solemn face, with visage as empty as the morning after judgment day, has three-quarters of his battle with art completely won at the rise of the curtain. Consider, if you please, Mr. Grant Mitchell of "The Whole Town's Talking," now at the Plymouth, and the point will take you securely in hand. Mr. Mitchell worries along with a smileless face—a face almost as flat as Aunt Sarah's popular pancakes—but back of its bland expression there lies a world of good cheer for the jaded soul who embraces the theatre for light-hearted entertainment. If there is any honor or profit in keeping a straight face in the presence of terrific difficulties Mr. Mitchell must have solved the problem, in proof of which is the fact that not in many seasons has the Plymouth taken on so much widespread hilarity as that which is now testing the staying qualities of its well anchored seats. Mr. Mitchell cracks nary a smile, but you can't say as much for his audiences.

OUT of a generation of fun makers—and the range of playful comedians runs from the rapid-fire vaudevillian to the upper class parlor variety that speaks with an English accent—Mr. Mitchell is the lone example among stage workers who not only takes his work seriously but who looks the part while driving you into convulsions. This may be art or just a heaven-sent gift, but the results are the same in any case. Mr. Mitchell himself believes he is simply a hard working actor, possibly a comedian—but never a farceur. For ourselves, we like to believe he is all three rolled into one happy and highly talented gloom killer—and above all an artist of rare attainments. And he never is compelled to smile, make faces or descend to the commonplace tricks of comedians to make you feel at home in the theatre. I asked Mr. Mitchell to defend his own style of operation against the better known and more widely practiced methods of our best comedians—and he couldn't do it. Said he didn't know what I was driving at. He did confess, however, that his own style of characterization was born in him and that he couldn't act differently even if it were demanded by an insistent director.

Mr. Mitchell's Face Is His Fortune — And Then Some.

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"I SUPPOSE 'The Whole Town's Talking' is farce," he explained, by way of keeping up the conversation, "rank farce, if you will, but I'm a comedian and not a farceur. Perhaps I am out of place in farce, but folks do laugh and behave generally as if a good time was being had by all. In farce you are expected to perform in all kinds of unconventional ways, such as running around the stage, dodging behind swinging doors, hiding under tables and what not. I couldn't do that if my life depended upon it. Why, after our terrific stage fight in the dark, which is no fight at all, because everything is in utter darkness and the sound of conflict is represented by overturning tables, chairs and coal scuttles, I am discovered securely out of danger, sitting in a chandelier. That is the nearest I have ever come to playing the rules of farce as it is written in the books. And as you may imagine, all I do is to clumb into the chandelier when the lights are extinguished and hang on till they are thrown up again. To confess an awful truth, that is the one moment in the play when I feel silly at my own work."

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BUT Mr. Mitchell did not explain that the simple device of rushing to safety in a chandelier has never failed to throw his audience into what has all the well-known marks of hysteria. "Of course," he was saying, "I have never been able to forget the advice of a friend who watched one of my early performances and who, by the way, was not as properly impressed by it as I had hoped. He is not of the theatre, but he proved to be a rare critic. He said: 'Grant, whatever you do on the stage, don't run around foolishly, throw yourself into chairs and generally act like a cut-up, because when you do that you are notoriously unfunny. Just stand on your two feet, read your lines and let it go at that. You'll be fining all right.' I guess that was pretty good advice—anyway, I've always followed it and managed to get along without many serious disappointments."

If you think you can sit in the presence of Mr. Mitchell and his honest, absent-minded face for an evening and not groan in the agony of aching sides you have more dignity than is good for you—or anybody else for that matter.

IT'S moving time for "Up She Goes." The original plan called for its departure from the city limits for a season in towns of less importance, with, perhaps, another fling at New York's extended subway circuit. But things have been running so nicely for this jolly musical comedy at the Wilbur that it will hang around for two weeks more, this time at the Majestic, where renewed operations will begin on Monday night. The movement of "Up She Goes" to the Majestic is the first instance this season in which an attraction has been transferred from one theatre to another, although in former years there were rare cases where a successful run would have been broken if it had not been possible to move into new quarters. The public favor with which this lively piece has been received has greatly exceeded managerial expectations, which accounts for the limited time accorded the attraction at the Wilbur. Its stay at the Majestic will be limited to three weeks.

Love no Barrier to Artistic Career

By ALICE OWENS.

With Frank Craven in "The First Year" at the Hollis.

Love is no barrier to a career. If I thought so, I never would have married. It is true that I haven't any time for such movements as the Lucy Stone League, where women strive scrupulously to preserve their individuality and match their talents in public life with their husbands, but when such people on the stage as Fay Bainter, Madge Kennedy and Blanche Bates; writers like Fola La Follette, Michael Strange and Fannie Hurst, to say nothing of innumerable others, are able to pursue their careers and at the same time be happy in their private affairs, I fail to see where a stage career is in any way inimical to true domesticity.

Alice Owens

Of course, I'm referring now to those who have talent and can offer something constructive to art, no matter whether it is in music, painting, sculpture or the stage. But a girl who seeks the footlights simply to capitalize a little cheap notoriety; because she has figured in some divorce court scandal, or to gratify a whim, that's different. There's no security or permanency in public life for her, and marriage, therefore, provides a safe haven.

ETHEL BARRYMORE, in "THE LAUGHING WOMAN"—WILBUR.

MISS LESLIE CARTER, in "STELLA DALLAS"—SELWYN.

WINTER GARDEN GIRLS IN "THE PASSING SHOW"—SHUBERT.

NANCY WELFORD, in "UP SHE GOES"—MAJESTIC.

LIZA RILEY and ALBERT LAWRENCE, in "THE BAT"—BOSTON OPERA HOUSE.

MARY CARNEY, with EARL CARROLL'S "VANITIES"—COLONIAL.

NEXT WEEK'S NEW BILLS

WILBUR—Ethel Barrymore in "The Laughing Lady," a comedy by Sir Alfred Sutro. Stage settings by Robert Edmond Jones. The story concerns a social gadfly, who attempts revenge upon a man by captivating him. In the company with Miss Barrymore are Henry Daniel, Wallis Clark, Lionel Pape, Edward Martyn, Virginia Chauvenet, Ethel Intropidi and Jane Wheatley. Presented by Arthur Hopkins.

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SELWYN—Mrs. Leslie Carter in "Stella Dallas." A dramatization of Olive Higgins Prouty's engrossing story. The action of the play gives Mrs. Carter a wide range of opportunity for the display of her talents, both as a tragedienne and comedienne. Mrs. Carter's support will include Margaret Hawkins, Beatrice Moreland, Almeda Fowler, Julia Cobb, Ruth Darby and Albert Marsh. Presented by the Selwyns.

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FENWAY—(Opening today.) "Flaming Barriers," by Byron Morgan, who writes engaging automobile stories for the magazines and popular weeklies, and who furnished the late Wallace Reid with many spirited scenarios. Featured in the cast are Jacqueline Logan, Walter Hiers and Antonio Moreno. Other features will be "Around the World in Speejacks," Betty Mae in dances and Hart and Nugent, vocalists.

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SOMERVILLE—"Irene," a musical play that holds a record for popularity. Featured in the cast are Leota Carder, Gracie Emmett, Ann MacDonald, Bernard Nedell and Phil Sheffield.

Negri Film At State Shows Famous Old Desk

Pola Negri and the famous Du Barry possessed one thing in common—a writing desk. Du Barry the beautiful mistress of Louis IV of France died 130 years ago. The night she was executed by the Revolutionary Tribunal, the mansion of Luciennes, which was built for her by her king, was destroyed by fire after being looted. Among the most priceless treasures which were carried away was a writing desk ornamented in brass by Jacques Caffieri, famous for its designs and chasing in bronze. The writing desk stolen from Luciennes was used in Pola Negri's new pictures "Shadows of Paris," which comes to Loew's State Theatre on Monday.

An Miss Negri sits at the desk where Du Barry probably sat when she wrote "Lettres et Anecdotes." she will see several tears in the green leather desk top which have been carefully mended. In all probability these cuts were made by the weapons of the peasants who broke into Luciennes on December 7, 1793.

That same night Du Barry was executed.

BALIEFF TO RETURN

Morris Gest announces a return to Boston soon of Balieff's Chauve-Souris, the engagement of which at the Shubert Theatre early in the present season was tremendously successful. The date is set for April 14th, but the theatre has not yet been decided upon. While the artists remain the same there will be a complete change of program.

SYMPHONY RECITALS

Edouard Risler, the noted French pianist, will appear as soloist at the next regular pair of Boston Symphony concerts, which are to be given in Symphony Hall, next Friday afternoon and Saturday evening. Mr. Risler will appear with the orchestra in Beethoven's Fourth Concerto in G major. Another event of this program will be the performance of Henry Hadley's new symphonic poem, "Ocean," under the direction of the composer.

VARIED PROGRAM

An unusual opportunity to compare the works of contemporary French, Italian, English, and German composers will be afforded at the first candle-light concert of the season given by the Eighteenth Century Orchestra, Sunday evening, February 24 at the St. James Theater. Among the composers represented on the program for this first candle-light concert are Boccherini, Lulli, Rameau, Corelli, Purcell, Vivaldi, Buonamente, Couperin, also Mozart and Haydn.

PLAYS THAT REMAIN

By NICHOLAS YOUNG.

Frank Craven in "The First Year" at the Hollis. (Seventh week.) Smalltown comedy, with big-town laughs. Announced as Mr. Craven's valedictory to the speaking stage.

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"The Clinging Vine," with Vivienne Segal, at the Tremont. (Third week.) Frolicksome musical comedy, wherein most of the characters are high-stepping flappers.

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"Up She Goes" at the Majestic. (First week.) In which this merry affair moves into a new home after six boisterous weeks at the Wilbur.

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Grant Mitchell in "The Whole Town's Talking" at the Plymouth. (Second week.) Mr. Mitchell's impassive face used to excellent advantage in a farce that is clean and wholesome.

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"The Bat" at the Boston Opera House. (Second week.) The natural parent of all the recent mystery plays. Returns for a second and, perhaps, final showing for local playgoers.

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Earl Carroll's "Vanities" at the Colonial. (Fourth week.) Girls, GIRLS and G-i-R-L-S presented in Mr. Carroll's most artistic style of light and filmsy drapery.

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"The Passing Show" at the Shubert. (Second week.) The 1923 edition of Mr. J. J. Shubert's idea of what a Winter Garden revue should look like. Not at all hard to gaze upon.

STAGE AND SCREEN
BOSTON AMERICAN
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RARE COMEDY IN NEW FILM THRILLER

The George Melford Paramount production of "Flaming Barriers," featuring Jacqueline Logan, Antonio Moreno and Walter Hiers, which opens today at the Fenway Theatre, is one of the best melodramatic comedies ever brought to the screen. It is a decided picture novelty, humanly appealing and a bear for thrills.

Miss Logan, a fighting daughter who isn't afraid to drive a flying machine over a burning forest or a fire truck through one, and who does both in this picture, has amazed her admirers with her grit and daring. Mr. Moreno, as Sam Barton, wealthy efficiency expert and golf enthusiast, has a virile role to portray. His fight with Joseph Pickens, the heavy in the picture, who has attacked Jerry, played by Miss Logan, is a bit of genuine realism.

The story is one of a modern motor-driven fire-fighting truck, an invention of Patrick Malone, Jerry's father. His ambition is to get the truck before the notice of visiting fire chiefs in convention in Burbridge. Jerry and Sam Barton see to this, though not before they manage to get old Malone arrested for parking near a fire hydrant, which is but one of the many amusing comedy reliefs in "Flaming Barriers."

Mr. Nedell Has Played In Many Far-Off Lands

Bernard Nedell, the leading man of the Somerville Theatre Players, bears the distinction, despite his youthful years, of having travelled every civilized country in the world. For nearly two years Mr. Nedell headed his own company travelling the Orient and later on to the Antipodes, presenting a series of established successes. He is a product of the West, and recognized as one of the most versatile actors in stock circles.

Bernard Nedell

Miss Moores Expects To Find Old Friends

Clara Moores, one of the principal players appearing with Mrs. Leslie Carter in "Stella Dallas," opening at the Selwyn Theatre on Monday night, is no newcomer to Boston. As a matter of fact, Miss Moores has paid this city numerous visits beginning with her introductory appearance some twelve years ago in the important role of Ethel Cartwright in Roy Cooper Megrue's "Under Cover," which established and still holds the longest record run of any spoken play in Boston. Later she returned as leading lady to William Hodge. This was followed by an association with the Boston Stock Company.

Miss Moores is a product of the West and began her theatrical experience in a stock company.

WEEK'S BEST OFFERINGS IN MOTION PICTURES

Enid Bennett in "The Courtship of Miles Standish" at the Tremont Temple

Marion Davies and J. M. Kerrigan in "Little Old New York" at the Park

Jacqueline Logan "Flaming Barriers" Fenway

FINAL DAYS OF 'LITTLE OLD NEW YORK'

The final week of Marion Davies in the Cosmopolitan production of Rida Johnson Young's comedy, "Little Old New York," at the Park, is announced. Though this engagement has outgrown the originally allotted period of four weeks, it would seem that with the added time given for its stay the term will be all too short. This is an extraordinary tribute to the production as an entertainment provider.

There is a wealth of comedy in the story of a young Irish girl who comes to the old New York of a century ago and masquerades as a boy in order to inherit an estate. There is drama, too, in plenty.

No more charming characterization has been brought to the screen than that given by Miss Davies as the lass in lad's attire. It has quite eclipsed anything in artistry that the beautiful star has displayed to her admiring public. The production is rich in its scenic reproduction of locations in old New York, in which move personages famous in the earlier history of the metropolis.

The manners and customs have their own charm in intriguing the interest of the spectator. And with the thrills provided in several scenes, notably the first trip of Fulton's steamboat and the riot after the prize fight, the high lights of comedy shine in special brilliancy.

CONTINUING FILMS

Marion Davies in "Little Old New York" at the Park. (Sixth week.) A popular artist in the most popular picture story of the year. Shows New York city when it was a small town. The last week.

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Charles Ray in "The Courtship of Myles Standish" at Tremont Temple. (Fourth week.) Longfellow's immortal poem turned into a splendid picture. Enid Bennett is shown as Priscilla Mullins.

PICTURES AND VARIETY

LOEW'S STATE—Pola Negri in "Shadows of Paris," a thrilling story of the underworld of Paris, in which crime and romance run their course in rare dramatic fashion. Miss Negri's principal support is furnished by Charles de Roche. Another feature in the program is Madame Doree's Operalogue, a band of singers in popular operatic impressions. News and comedy reels complete the bill.

OLYMPIA—"Painted People" and five vaudeville acts, headed by "Miss Physical Culture."

SCOLLAY SQ.—"Anna Christie" and seven vaudeville features, headed by "The Vanity Shop."

CENTRAL SQ.—"The Humming Bird" for three days. Beginning Thursday, "The Country Kid."

MODERN AND BEACON—"George Washington, Jr., and "No Mother to Guide Her." News and comedy reels.

CODMAN SQ.—"West of the Water Tower," for three days. New bill on Thursday.

ORPHEUM—"The Common Law" as the picture feature, with vaudeville features and news reel.

BOSTON—"Fool's Highway," as the picture feature and Harry Slatko's jazz band, topping the vaudeville.

HOWARD—(Burlesque) "Meet the Girls," headed by Charley Burke. Pictures and vaudeville.

BOWDOIN SQ.—"The White Tiger," "Reno" and an "Our Gang" comedy. Vaudeville features.

B. F. KEITH'S—(Vaudeville) Louise Lovely, screen star, in a combination feature, and other acts.

CASINO — (Burlesque) "Hippity Hop," with "Rib" Shannon and Artie Leeming. Pictures and vaudeville.

CAPITOL — "The Eternal City," from Hall Caine's famous novel. News and comedy films.

GAIETY —(Burlesque) "Broadway Brevities," featuring Frank Harcourt and Al Hilliier.

STRAND—"Don't Call It Love" and "Gold Madness," for three days. New bill on Thursday.

HISTORY GIVES FILMS BEST STORIES

Historical photoplays of late have been the outstanding successes of the screen drama. Charles Ray believes that this is the case because real stories of human experience, especially those which show fine fortitude and high ideals, are not superficial.

Most fiction stories merely scratch the surface of life, while tales of those who really lived afford vital and compelling drama. Ray has entered the ranks of big producers with his production of "The Courtship of Myles Standish," now on its last week at Tremont Temple. This picture is taken from Longfellow's great poem, yet is augmented by the entire adventure of the Pilgrims, from the voyage across the Atlantic to a period of two years after landing in the New World.

Charlotte Greenwood Is Pinwheel For Life

Charlotte Greenwood, the comedienne, who will be seen in Irving Berlin's "Music Box Revue" at the Colonial on Monday, February 25, is of the opinion that an actress, to succeed must have some particular style of doing something that is all her own. "When you Charlotte Greenwood have a certain style it is pretty hard to do anything else but yourself," she explains. "If it happens to be a style that the public likes, they won't have you any other way. Take my own case for example. I'd really like to do something serious, but I see no hope in that direction. If I do, however, it will have to be done with my hands and feet. The trouble is that I started doing little things with my feet, with no intention of becoming, finally, a pinwheel. Seeing that my gyrations seemed to amuse the public, I was advised to make the most of them and I did, with the result that I am a pinwheel for life."

Cook Takes Real Chance And Turns Author

Joe Cook, the originator of the "one-man vaudeville," who also is with the "Vanities" at the Colonial Theatre, is going to do his best to hand himself down to posterity.

He does not want his memory to fade when the last person who has heard him explain why he isn't going to imitate four Hawaiians has shuffled off this mortal coil. No, sir, Joe is an altruist and he is going to bequeath his unique personality to the generation as yet unborn. In short, he is engaged in writing a book which resembles as closely as possible his celebrated monologues.

Looking Ahead

FEBRUARY 25—
Irving Berlin's "Music Box Revue" at the Colonial.
Alice Brady in "Zander the Great" at the Tremont.
"The Woman on the Jury" at the Somerville.

MARCH 3—
H. B. Warner in "You and I" at the Plymouth.

MARCH 10—
D. W. Griffith's Revolutionary War film, "America," at the Majestic.

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Ingrid Onegin, the contralto of the Metropolitan Opera Company, who h... field, will give her second recital of the season here in Symphony Hall on Sunday afternoon, March 9.

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BIRD FAMILY SPLIT OVER BUTLER

Dr. Mayo Is 'Dark Horse' For Presidency

HER FUR COAT STOLEN AT BRIGHTON DANCE

MRS. ESTHER BRIGGS

Allston woman who was one of three who had their valuable fur coats at a social function held in Brighton by State House employes. The police recovered the coats and it is claimed that the garments were taken as a result of a mix-up. The case will be aired in Brighton police court on February 29

FRIENDS TO FIGHT FOR EDWARDS

Aroused by Confirmation of Colonel Major, They Will Urge Action

Washington, Feb. 16 (I.N.S.) — Friends of Major-General Clarence R. Edwards, former Yankee Division commander, will have to come to Washington and put up a desperate fight if they want to remove the blot that has been cast upon his army record by Colonel Duncan K. Major.

Major is today a colonel by grace of 43-24 confirmation vote of the senate.

Senator Walsh and Senator Lodge, aided by the insurgents from the West, fought for ten hours in secret session in defense of Edwards and the Yankee Division. Senator Walsh making an impassioned defense of Edwards for three hours without respite.

Major won largely because Senator Wadsworth and his friends did not hesitate to blacken Edwards' record. Secret files of the War Department were produced to show that he had been relieved of his command by General Pershing and sent home and to characterize him as a disgruntled man and poor militarist, while Major had been decorated by Pershing himself.

FRIENDS HANDICAPPED.

Senator Walsh and Senator Lodge had absolutely no opportunity to peer into the secret files which contained scores of hearty commendations of Edwards, and which showed beyond dispute that the morale of the Yankee Division under his leadership was not surpassed in France.

Senator Walsh declared that anyone who doubted the gallantry of General Edwards should walk into the home of the mother of any Yankee Division doughboy and ask her what she thought of the tenderness with which Edwards cared for her boy in France.

The army and navy are very powerful socially here, and it is said that the social lobby was worked to the limit in favor of Major.

TO URGE ACTION.

Governor Edwards' friends here will advise the general to take steps at once to have his record publicly chronicled in order to remove the stains sought to be put upon it by Senator Wadsworth and other Major followers.

Three of New England's twelve Senators voted against Major.

The vote in confirmation was:

Ayes—Adams, Brandegee, Broussard, Bruce, Bursum, Cameron, Couzens, Cummins, Curtis, Edge, Ferris, George, Glass, Goding, Greene, Howell, Jones (N. M.), Jones (Wash.), Keyes, King, Lenroot, McKinley, McLean, McNary, Moses, Norbeck, Norris, Oddie, Overman, Pepper, Phipps, Ransdell, Reed (Pa.), Shipstead, Shortridge, Smoot, Spencer, Stephens, Swanson, Wadsworth, Walsh (Mont.), Warren and Weller —43.

Nays—Ashurst, Bayard, Brookhart, Capper, Caraway, Copeland, Dale, Dial, Frazier, Hale, Harrison, Johnson (Minn.), Kendrick, Lodge, Pittman, Reed (Mo.), Robinson, Sheppard, Shipley, Trammell, Walsh (Mass.), Wheeler and Willis—24

Wounded Vet, Now Battery Expert, Wants Job

A disabled veteran of the World War, who served with a fire guard company, seeks a position as battery and ignition repairman.

He is thirty-three years of age, married, and has one child and resides in Charlestown.

He is now restored to health and the records show that he has worked unusually hard in order to become thoroughly trained in the trade of battery repairman.

He is recommended by those in contact with him as being faithful, honest and conscientious.

If you need such a man call Congress 7600—the Boston Chamber of Commerce—and tell them you are interested in Case No. 16.

3 ARE HELD FOR COUNTERFEIT $1,000 BILLS

Secret Service Agents Declare Country Would Have Been Flooded

Washington, Feb. 16.—The United States secret service had three men under arrest this afternoon in connection with a plot to flood the country with counterfeit $1,000 treasury notes.

Two of the alleged conspirators were arrested last night and the third W. C. Hubbart, a former employe of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, was taken into custody today at New Jersey. James C. Houghton, an employe of the engraving bureau, and Curt Jacobson of New York, have been released under bonds.

Secret service agents also arrested W. C. Sweeney, a clerk in a clothing store. He is held with no specific charge against him.

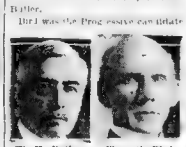
BIRD AND WIFE SPLIT ON BUTLER

Ex-Progressive Set Against Coolidge's Adviser; Mrs. Bird Is for Him

There is a political split in the family of Charles Sumner Bird of Walpole.

Mr. Bird is dead set against Will Iam M. Butler for the Republican nomination for United States Senator. Mrs. Bird is 100 per cent Butler.

Bird was the Progressive candidate



W. H. Butler Chas. S. Bird

for Governor in 1922. He boasts that are decidedly Progressive and he says is an ardent dry.

In fact, his chief opposition against Butler is that the former State Senator, while dry, isn't quite dry enough.

"I'll take the field against him myself, if necessary," is the Bird ultimatum.

Mrs. Bird is the political adviser of Mrs. Bird. It was Butler who selected Mrs. Bird as the woman member of the Republican National Committee from Massachusetts and as a result of their affiliations they see "eye to eye" in matters political.

"Let take it for granted that Mr. Butler will be nominated and elected," is the statement of Mrs. Bird. "As the matter now stands, Butler is a close friend and advisor of President Coolidge, as stated for the position. His only opponent, so far announced, is Louis A. Coolidge, and the organization feels that Mr. Butler can be disposed of with a little effort.

"With Bird in the race and an avowed Republican vote three ways there are not so sanguine. I am grieved. It is believed Mr. Butler will take an active part in Bird's behalf, and the leaders are counting on the White House "big stick" and their "ace in the hole."

Pawtucket Mill Closed

Pawtucket, R.I., Feb. 16.—The Times (N.Y.) and said the Jenckes Cotton, which employs nearly 1000 hands, will be closed indefinitely. The machinery, according to Frederick L. Jenckes, treasurer of the concern, will be shipped to Gastonia, N. C. About 400 have been on the payroll recently. About a year ago part of the machinery of the U. S. Cotton Mill, owned by the Jenckes Spinning Company, now merged with the Manville Company, was shipped to Gastonia.

FAMILY DIVIDED ON POLITICAL ISSUE

MRS. CHARLES SUMNER BIRD

DEMOCRATS GROOMING SURGEON

Noted Physician in "Receptive Mood" If Oil Deal Side-Tracks McAdoo

By CHARLES N. WHEELER.

St. Paul, Feb. 16 (Universal).—Some of the astute Democratic leaders of Minnesota think they have found an available dark horse for the New York convention. He is Dr. Charles H. Mayo, the celebrated surgeon of the Mayo brothers clinic at Rochester.

Dr. Mayo while not taking the proposal too seriously is in a receptive mood. If the State democracy wishes to make him the favorite son he will not object, although many of the political [illegible] still [illegible] that an [illegible] struggle, delegates [illegible] or of the [illegible] of [illegible] for D. Mayo [illegible] and instructed that the delegation will be free to [illegible] some other candidate if the doctor finds [illegible] fighting [illegible] in the convention

Dr. Mayo.

MOVE TAKEN KINDLY.

If [illegible] can have a compromise [illegible] agreed. The Mayo proposition has passed beyond [illegible] stage. Newspapers [illegible] State are talking [illegible]

[illegible] General that Mc[illegible] is out of it, and that [illegible] wide acquaintance throughout Japan in New York, the Progressive forces are looking Mayo as a [illegible] other big men to select.

The Mayo boosters are pointing out that as Colonel in the World War he raised and [illegible] service men. Since the war they claim he has extended aid to about 9,000 ex-service men free of charge. They also emphasize his wide acquaintance throughout the United States and [illegible] the medical fraternity of the country would rally to him en masse. At [illegible] insert [illegible] [illegible] the demand for a [illegible]

DEMAND HONEST MAN.

Dr. Mayo delivered a significant address before the Kiwanis Club of his home town. While expressing his firm belief in the honesty and integrity of President Coolidge, he declared that "the Democratic party will nominate an honest man for President—one whose life has been above reproach." The doctor then discarded McAdoo as a possibility, because of his connection with the Teapot oil scandal.

200 GIRLS IN VICE DENS AT MEXICO LINE

U. S. Agent, Urging Daily Patrol Near Mexicali, Exposes Wholesale Lawlessness

Los Angeles, Feb. 16.—A fence along the American-Mexican border extended five miles each side of Calexico, a similar barrier at Tia Juana, night and day riders to guard them and an embargo on all traffic from the United States into Mexico at those points between 7 p. m. and 7 a. m. daily, are the recommendations to be submitted to Washington by Lurlen Wheeler of the Department of Justice Bureau of Investigation, he announced here.

Wheeler's recommendations follow a report he has just submitted on vice conditions in Mexicali, the Mexican town, facing Calexico, Cal.

A summary of conditions at Mexicali declared by Wheeler to be correct, includes the following features:

A wide open town, with licensed opium dens, narcotic supply houses, an American gambling house, a Chinese gambling house, seven disorderly houses already operating and a new one costing $110,000 to be opened this week. There are approximately 200 girls in these places.

Forty girls employed in the American gambling hall, Wheeler asserts, together with 100 dealers, spotters lookouts and "cross-on" men. Nearly all of these make their homes in Calexico and cross and recross the border daily.

BARES WILSON'S THREAT TO RESIGN

Tumulty Said He Would Have Quit in 1914 if Congress Repealed Panama Tolls

New York, Feb. 16.—The Brooklyn Eagle today publishes a letter to Herbert F. Gunnison, its publisher, from Joseph P. Tumulty former secretary to Woodrow Wilson, stating that Mr. Wilson had determined to resign as President in 1914 if Congress did not accede to his demand for legislation repealing the Panama Canal tolls.

In the letter Mr. Tumulty writes:

"As an interesting sidelight on the courage of Woodrow Wilson in connection with this controversy, I wish for the first time to call attention to the fact that in the most solemn way he made the statement to me that in case Congress should refuse to repeal Panama tolls, there was nothing left for him to do but resign as President of the United States.

"The conversation I had with him on this matter took place immediately after the delivery of his message to Congress when it looked as if the tides of opposition were running very strongly. In discussing the matter of his resignation with me, he said:

"'I would not want to be President of a country that would violate a solemn treaty. In case of failure in this matter I shall go before the country after my resignation is tendered and ask it to say whether America is to stand before the world as a nation that violates its contracts as a mere matter of convenience, upon a 'basis of expediency.'"

33-POUND WILDCAT KILLED BY 15 SHOTS

Worcester, Feb. 16.—A 33-pound wildcat was killed by Albert B. and Thomas F. Garganigo and Barton W. Caulfield of Shrewsbury in the woods between Petersham and North Dana. The beast was quiet after fifteen shots had been fired. The hunters will claim a $20 bounty.

Police Save Bottle at Sam's One-Alarm Fire

The major portion of Samuel Katz's once luxuriant growth of chin whiskers was gone, but not forgotten, when Katz appeared today in East Boston Court to answer a charge of illegally keeping and exposing liquor for sale. But Sergeant Lewis had the pint that was responsible for the damage to Katz's whiskers, according to the police.

Katz is proprietor of a small store at No. 261 Sumner street, East Boston. He has had the police as unwelcome guests on previous occasions, according to their records.

Once more, however, the police called on him in the person of Sergt. Lewis and two patrolmen. Katz as the officers entered, came bounding down from a high perch in the store where he appeared to be making plumbers' repairs.

But he hauled a bottle out of his pocket as he leaped, according to Lewis, and pulled the cork. Then he began to dribble the contents of the bottle into the hot stove. It was too slow, however, and he put the cork back and tossed the partly-filled bottle in.

But, as he dropped the bottle in, an explosion occurred and the flames enfolded themselves in Katz's luxuriant chin growth. In a few seconds he was dancing around the floor, frantically beating the fire out of his whiskers. When they were finally extinguished they had seared away the major portion of the facial tresses.

Sergt. Lewis left Katz to his fate and seized up a wire that Katz had been using in his repairs. With this wire—hooked at one end—he fished the bottle out of the hot coals, expecting an explosion each minute. None occurred.

The police allege the bottle contains liquor.

RADIO MAN STRICKEN; SHIFTED AT SEA

The reason for the absence of communication from the Shipping Board steamship Glen Ridge was learned today when the vessel unexpectedly appeared in quarantine from Antwerp. The ship's wireless operator, Charles G. Barany, of Baltimore, was taken ill of a fever and hiccoughed for thirty-six hours. He was transferred to the President Harding in a lifeboat on February 3.

MAN OF 91 KILLS HIS ROOMMATE, 97, IN ROW

Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 16 (I.N.S.)—A row between two Confederate soldiers in a rooming house here ended in the death of one and the serious wounding today, following a quarrel over the closing of a window in the State Home for Confederate Veterans. Dr. T. G. Bracking, the younger, stabbed his roommate, George Washington Hamby, through the brain with a pocket knife. Hamby died fully cut and suffering from [illegible] which may prove fatal.

COLUMBIA DENIES CHARGE OF MURDER

Nicola Columbria of Sheaf street, North End, arrested on a charge of murder after a duel Tuesday night between himself and Paolo Damino, father of five children, was in the South Boston Court today and pleaded not guilty. The case was continued for one week.

TELEPHONE GIRL IS MISSING FROM HOME

A search was begun by the police today for Miss Helen Crowley, seventeen-year old [illegible] Plain [illegible] telephone operator, who disappeared from the Jamaica Ex[illegible] during her lunch hour, Thursday.

Helen Crowley.

Miss Crowley is the second youngest of [illegible] children of [illegible] and Mrs. John Crowley of No [illegible] Jamaica Plain [illegible] Thursday morning she left for work at the telephone exchange in an apparently happy frame of mind. At 1 o'clock she left to go to lunch, but did not return to work. Since that time none of her friends have seen her.

TWO MEN FALL THROUGH ICE; ARE SAVED

Park Policeman Plunges Into Charles, Going to Aid of Another

Patrolman John J. McLean of the Metropolitan Park Police, and Michael Nagle, 24 [illegible] road, Newton, were rescued from drowning in the Charles River basin by Perkins Engine, Watchman after the patrolman had broken through the ice while trying to save Nagle.

The officer caught sight of Nagle as he disappeared through the ice while crossing the river. Seizing a ladder the policeman hurried out to the spot where Nagle was struggling only to fall through the ice himself.

McLean managed to grasp Nagle with one hand and continued to cling to the ladder with the other. The cries of the two men attracted Chief Patrol Driver and his son, Wellington Pratt, of Waverly avenue, Newton Upper Mills, and Nos. 45 Newton street, Brighton, and Shirley Goodrich of No. 18 St. James street, Newton. These men threw life preservers and ropes to the men and pulled them on shore.

AERIAL CORTEGE PAYS TRIBUTE TO SPERRY

Harden City, N. Y., Feb. 16.—An aerial cortege followed to the grave today the body of Lawrence B. Sperry, American aviator, who was drowned when his small plane fell into the English Channel last December. Major-General Mason M. Patrick, chief of the army air service in interstate commutation area on the New Haven Railroad. They contend that a State statute compels maintenance of the present rates. Representatives of the committee will also attend the hearing next Saturday in New York before the Interstate Commerce Commission and present their cases there.

Sperry's body was brought back to this country last Wednesday by Edward Sperry, a brother.

"ROUGH" LETTER CAUSES ARREST

Joseph L. Driscoll of No. 115 Cabot street, Roxbury, was arrested today by Deputy U. S. Marshal James Fraser charged with sending an objectionable letter through the mails. Driscoll, convicted on the Elevated, is alleged to have sent a letter to E. A. Kelly, division superintendent, after the latter had reprimanded him. The letter was unsigned, but is believed to have been traced to Driscoll. Commissioner Hayes held Driscoll in $1,000.

COMMUTERS ON NEW HAVEN ASK HEARING

Hartford, Feb. 16.—Instead of securing an injunction the local commuters' committee have applied for a hearing before the State Utilities Commission in the matter of an increase in interstate commutation

SCENE OF WATERTOWN RESCUE

FATHER AND SON SAVE PAIR

Diagram shows how Patrolman John J. McLean and Michael Nagle, whom he had attempted to rescue, were drawn to safety from Charles River. Insets: Top, Clifford H. Pratt. Bottom, his son, Wellington Pratt, who threw life preservers to splashing men and pulled them from jaws of death with ropes.

Better Tone Is Shown in Week-End Market With Numerous Fair Rallies

FORBES' VIEWS ON FINANCE

—By B. C. Forbes—

Most of us have to go out and search for fortune. Many persons, not hundreds, but thousands, have had fortune brought to their doors and laid at their feet. What do you think of this example? It was given me by the Rev. Dexter Faculk, the fore most minister of Houston

He lived for thirteen years in a home, which cost nine thousand five hundred dollars to build. The site cost eleven thousand five hundred. At the end of thirteen years the church sold the property.

The price received was sufficient to pay off the original cost of twenty-one thousand dollars, to pay the real estate agent's fee of fifteen hundred dollars, to pay the minister's salary during the whole thirteen years, and to leave a surplus of four thousand four hundred dollars

Major van Zandt, for many years the leading citizen of Fort Worth, pointed to the lobby of his bank and said: "When I first came here, you could have put all the people of Fort worth into that lobby without crowding them. Mr cow pen was next to the spot where this building now stands. This same land is now worth more than $2,000 a front foot."

Colonel Robert Ewing, citizen of New Orleans for upwards of forty years and the player of a most influential part in the renaissance of this city, pointed out place after place where land, formerly worthless, had become a veritable gold mine for its owners. Such land was not confined to the heart of the city. Places formerly outside the city area, places now encirched by the building of the industrial ship canal, #3 well as places afore farther afield, all had doubled, trebled, quadrupled in value during the last twenty years.

M. E. Foster, publisher of the Houston Chronicle, told me of having paid $24,000 for property for which he was offered $50,000 within one year and which is now worth more than $200 000; also he paid down $3,000 cash on a $100,000 purchase on which the profit in one year was more than 200 per cent. On this property now stands a ten-story building worth $800 000, housing the Chronicle, the Chamber of Commerce and other large tenants

At different places in Florida one hears real estate records that sound like fairy tales; the waving of a wand brought unlimited gold pouring into the laps of the fortunate. Both on the East Coast and the West Coast of this peninsular and beyond, land values have risen dazz-ngly.

Mayor Alsop, of Jacksonville, drove us through both residential sections and business sections, where the owners have become richer and richer without exertion on their part

Dallas has been growing at a faster pace than almost any other fourteen city, so that, of course, land has been turning to gold. I listened to an animated discussion among a group of Texas bankers as to whether the discovery of so many oil properties had been a good thing or a bad thing for the State. Among those around the table were: Mr. Fitzhugh, president of Continental National Bank, Fort Worth; Gus Taylor, president Citizens Bank, Tyler; Mr. McKinney, governor Federal Reserve Bank; Reese T. Allen, capitalist, Wichita Falls; A. G. Thomas, vice-president, Continental National Bank, Fort Worth; Mr McNally, vice-president National Bank Commerce, St Louis. Mr. Royal, Port Royal National Bank, Palestine; John Soner, attorney, Dallas; R. E. Harding, vice-president Fort Worth National Bank, Fort Worth; Charles Carson, vice-president, Chemical National Bank, New York. Bob Dupree vice president Central N t'n' Bank, Wa co; W. E Connel president, First National Bank Fort Worth; Mr. Grace, president, Texas Bankers' Association.

One side argued that sudden riches had, in most cases proved a curse rather than a blessing to the simple folks whose land had been found to contain oil. Also, that the wild, lightning-like, springing-up and expansion of oil cities had usually been followed by a collapse, carrying down banke, business concerns and others.

"Mighty few families can stand sudden wealth," continued one banker, who had lived through the thick of an oil boom in his territory. "It takes experience to handle money so that it will help you and not hurt you. When a family becomes better off gradually, and through hard effort, then there is a chance to learn how to handle money. But it is more than most individuals and most communities can stand to have their whole mode of existence and topsy-turvy it s handcian."

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BUYING ORDERS BRING ABOUT ADVANCES

Better tone was shown in the week-end New York stock market with numerous fair rallies. Buying orders broke, all about advances especially in the industria s

Trouble started up over 2 points U S Steel lifted over a point. Republic and Baldwin gained better than a point. Corn Products, American Can, Houston Oil and General Electric rose over three

Gulf States was up more than a point. Studebaker rallied above par

U. S. Realty added 2 points. Gains of between a point and 2 points were achieved by du Pont, American Locomotive, Davison, Rock Island, International Paper, Pan-American A, Punta Alegre Sugar, Utah Copper, U. S. Industrial Alcohol, Pacific Oil and Standard Oil of California.

Lorillard added 6.

National Lead gained over two points. American Tobacco lowered two and Mathieson and Southern Pacific a point each.

Bank clearings for the week ending February 14, as reported to Bradstreet's, aggregate $7,080,508 000 against $8,875,717,000 in previous week and $6,849,710 000 in the week last year. Representative cities clearings: New York, $3,914,000,000—3.3 per cent. increase; Chicago, $356,100,000—7 per cent. increase; Boston, $365,000 000—3.1 per cent. increase.

Tone Is Reactionary in Big Bond Market

Reactionary tendencies forced bond prices lower in week-end dealings which were marked by a wave of general selling Pronounced heaviness developed in Sugar Company issues, Cuba Cane is, Eastern Cuba 7½s, Vertientes 7s and Punta Alegre 7s all losing ground

Profit taking accounted for numerous declines in the mirored list, cutting down the recent gains of International & Great Northern as instruments as by more than a point and bringing about recessions in St. Paul, Frisco, New Haven and Southern Railway issues. Foreign government bonds were irregular.

The new Japanese loan was firm at 92¾

Eastern S. S. and Woolen Are Active

Eastern Steamship and American Woolen were active in the week-end Boston market. Copper Range and New Haven also enjoyed a good turnover, all selling higher. Eastern Steamship was up over a point, while Copper Range yielded part of its early point gain.

United Fruit was a point higher and L. S. Smelting and Mohawk up over a point.

Woolen, Boston & Maine, Calumet & Hecla, Island Creek Coal, New Haven, Quincy and St. Mary's were fractionally higher.

Boston Elevated, Dubelier, Fisk 1st pfd., Walworth and Warren Bros. yielded fractions

Shares of Trinity Copper Corporation will be stricken from the Boston Stock Exchange list on February 26 at request of company.

The books of the Tuolumne Copper Company (Arizona corporation) will be indefinitely closed on and after February 29.

Wall St. Gossip

AS WALL STREET, has it figured, dividends will be inaugurated during March by Wabash Railroad on A stock, on St. Louis Southwestern and on Southern Railway

ELECTRIC light and power companies never were in so favorable position as now, and this is why oil shares of these organizations are being so persistently touted now.

EVERY seven years or so the electrical output doubles; last year's increase over 1922 was 26 per cent and further increase promises to be rapid.

KRENGE Stores is said to be negotiating to acquire Palais Royal in Washington, at price reported to be around $5,000,000.

MILLS of United States Steel Corporation in Farrell district of Pennsylvania are operating 100 per cent

REPUBLIC Iron & Steel has withdrawn from the semi-finished steel market for balance of year, owing to its sold-up condition

CANADIAN Car & Foundry received an order for 50 cars, valued at $427,500, for Montreal Tramway Co

PENNSYLVANIA car loadings for week ended Feb. 9 were 156,724, compared with 149,133 in like week of 1923

BY PRODUCTS Coke for 1923 reports net income of $559,319 after interest and depreciation, against $255,152 in 1922

WHITE EAGLE Oil & Refining net income for 1923 was $1,347 818 after all deductions, against $1,892,937 in 1922.

INDIANA Pipe Line for 1923 reports net income of $556,344 after taxes, against $1,532,855 in 1922.

Points in Friday's Market

Total sales—New York, 1,848,300 shares; Boston, 40,384 shares.

Most active issue in New York—U. S. Steel, 101,500 shares.

Most active issue in Boston—Simms Magneto, 10,040 shares.

Total sales—Jan. 1, 1924, to date—New York, 37,354,100 shares.

Total sales—Jan. 1, 1923, to date—Boston, 720,387 shares.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Best Comparative Daily Table Published in New England

1923—High.	Low.	Stock and Div.	Rate in $	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.	Prev. Close.
82	67	Adams Ex (5).....		72¾	73	72¾	73	73¼
72⅜	56	Air Reduction (6)...		77¾	77¾	77¼	77¾	77¾
14⅜	4¼	Ajax Rubber		7½	8	7½	8	8
63⅝	37⅜	Allis-Chalmers (6).		48	48	46⅝	46⅝	46⅝
86	59	Allied Chem & Dy.		104	104¼	102⅜	104	104¼
35⅞	19¼	Am Ag Chem.....		32½	32½	31¾	32	32
49⅜	30¼	Am Ag Chem pf...		38¾	38¾	38¼	38¼	38¼
69⅛	35	Am Beet Sugar....		42¾	43	40½	42½	42⅜
82¼	70	Am Brake Shoe (3)		78	78	78	78	78
137⅜	73¼	Am Can (4).....		116	116	115	115½	116
115	106	Am Can pf (7).....		112	112	111½	112⅜	112⅜
181	148	Am Car & Fdy (12)		168	168	168	168	168
177⅜	134	Am Chicle		177½	177½	176	176	176
7⅜	4⅜	Am Druggist Synd.		5½	5½	5½	5½	5½
74⅜	39⅜	Am Hide & L pf...		89½	89½	89	89	89
111¼	78	Am Ice (7).....		91	91	91	91	90½
32⅛	16	Am International ..		19⅜	20	19⅜	20	21⅛
13	4⅛	Am LaFr Fire Es (1)		10½	11	10½	11	11
38	18	Am Linseed		18¾	19	18¾	19	19
39	28⅛	Am Linseed pf.....		29½	30	29½	30	30
78¾	64¾	Am Locomotive		77	77	76¾	77	77
85⅞	70	Am Metal (3).....		80	80	80	80	80
97	74	Am Radiator (4)...		104½	104½	104½	104½	104½
9¼	4⅜	Am Safety Raz(35c)		6½	6½	6½	7	7
21⅜	10¼	Am Ship & Com....		12⅛	12⅛	12	12	12
87⅛	51¼	Am Smelt & R (3)		62	62	61½	62	62
40⅜	31⅜	Am Steel Fdrs (3).		37⅜	38	37½	38	38
18	8	Am Sugar Ref.....		15⅞	16	15⅞	16	16
128¾	113¾	Am Tel & Tel (9)...		128¾	128¾	128¼	128¼	128¼
161⅝	140	Am Tobacco (12)..		146	146	140	140½	142
167	160	Am Tob Cl B (12).		164½	164½	164½	164½	164½
44⅜	37¼	Am Water Works..		43¾	43¾	43¼	43¾	43¾
67⅛	48⅛	Am WW pars pf(6)		67	68	67	67	67
120¾	90	Anaconda (7).....		114	116	114	116	116
19⅜	6¼	Am Zinc L & S....		9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
31⅜	25⅛	Am Zinc L & S pf..		32	32	32	32	32
52⅛	34⅜	Atch T & S F (6)..		39½	40	39	39	39
15⅞	10⅛	Arnold Constable ..		10½	10½	10½	10½	10½
27⅜	21¼	Assoc Dry Gds (3).		21⅝	21⅝	21⅝	21⅝	21⅝
29¼	24⅜	Associated Oil (1½)		29½	30	29½	29½	29½
105¾	94	Atch T & S F (6)..		99	99	98	98	98
31¼	21⅛	Atlantic Coast Ln..		30	30	30	30	30
127	109⅜	Atlantic Coast L(7)		112½	112½	112½	112½	112½
94	84	Atlantic Gulf & W I		89	89	89	89	89
34⅜	19⅜	Atlantic Gulf & W I		19⅜	19⅜	19⅜	19⅜	19⅜
85¼	17	Austin Nichols		24	25	24	25	25
114¾	110¼	Baldwin Loco (7)...		120½	122	120½	122	122
60¾	40¼	Balt & Ohio (5)...		56	57	56	56¾	56¾
35	9⅜	Barnsdall Cl A....		14	15	14	14½	14½
84¼	46⅜	Beech Nut Pk (3-40)		81½	81½	81½	81½	81½
71⅜	43⅜	Beth Steel (5).....		80½	82¾	80½	82¾	82¾
112⅜	81¼	Bklyn Ed El (4)....		102¾	102¾	102¾	102¾	102¾
18⅜	9¼	Bklyn Man Ry.....		16½	16½	16½	16½	16½
49⅜	31⅜	Bklyn Man Ry pf..		51½	52	51½	52	52
128	103¼	Bklyn Union Gas (6		122	122	122	122	122
43	21⅛	Burns Bros Cl B(2)		32¾	32¾	32¾	32¾	32¾
11⅜	4⅛	Butte Cop & Z (60c)		8¼	8¼	8¼	8¼	8¼
27⅞	20¼	Butte & Superior..		19½	19½	19½	19½	19½
9¼	1¼	Caddo Cent O & R..		2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾
64¼	32⅛	Calumet & Ariz (7)		47½	47½	47½	47½	47½
71⅜	43⅜	Bell (3).....		50½	50½	50½	50½	50½
14⅜	7¼	Calumet & Hecla....		17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
39⅜	17⅛	Calif Pet new (1⅜)		24	24	23½	23½	24
12⅜	3⅜	Calumet Ariz Lead		8¼	8¼	8¼	8¼	8¼
160	139⅜	Can Pacific (10)..		146	146	146	146	146
42	17	Case (J I) Th Mach		28	28	28	28	28
19⅜	7⅛	Cerro de Pasco....		15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾
29⅜	28⅛	Central Leather pf		28¾	28¾	28¾	28¾	28¾
81⅛	46⅜	Cerro de Pasco....		47¾	48¼	47¾	48¼	48¼
76	48	Chandler Motor (6)		68¾	69¾	68¾	69¾	69¾
74⅜	58⅛	Chas & Ohio (4)....		70	70	69½	70	70
9	2	Chic & Alton.....		3	3	3	3	3
7	3⅜	Chi Gt West.....		3½	3½	3	3	3
17⅜	8⅜	Chi Gt West pf....		11¼	11¼	11¼	11¼	11¼
26⅜	11⅛	Chi Mil & St P....		15¾	15¾	15¼	15¼	15¾
46⅛	20⅜	Chi Mil St Paul pf.		29½	29½	29½	29½	29½
46⅜	20⅜	Chi Pneu Tool....		27¼	27¼	27¼	27¼	27¼
47⅜	27⅛	Chi & N W.....		40½	40½	40½	40½	40½
81⅜	14⅜	Chino Copper.....		20½	20½	20	20	20
84⅜	32⅛	Cluett Peabody (2)		77¾	77¾	77¾	77¾	77¾
74⅜	40	Cluett Peabody (5).		72	72	72	72	72
61⅛	41	Columbia Carbon ..		49½	49½	49½	49½	49½
53⅜	20	Col Fuel & Iron....		27	27	27	27	27
47⅜	20	Col Gas & Elec (2.60)		39½	39½	39½	39½	39½
45⅜	17	Col Southern.....		27½	27½	27½	27½	27½
67⅜	47	Comp Tab Rec (6)..		62½	62½	62½	62½	62½
21⅜	11⅛	Conley Tiger.....		16½	16½	16½	16½	16½
67⅜	42⅜	Continental Can (4)		65½	65½	65½	65½	65½
121⅛	93⅜	Continental Oil (3).		104½	104½	104½	104½	104½
69⅜	66⅜	Consol Gas (5).....		82¼	82¼	82¼	82¼	82¼
14⅜	6	Consol Textile.....		8¼	8¼	8¼	8¼	8¼
178⅜	170	Corn Prd pf (7)....		176	176	176	176	176
—	—	Corn Prd'ts (new)		36	36	36	36	36
41¼	34¼	Crex Carpet.....		41½	41½	41½	41½	41½
84⅞	57¼	Crucible Steel (4).		60½	63¾	60½	63¾	63¾
37⅜	23	Cuban Am Sug (3)		25¾	26	25¾	26	26
31⅜	19⅜	Cuban Cane Sug....		19⅜	19⅜	19⅜	19⅜	19⅜
65¼	23⅛	Cuba Cane Sug pf..		60½	60½	60½	60½	60½
72¾	54⅜	Cuyamel Fruit (3)		60	60	60	60	60
51⅛	40	Davison Chemical..		48	48	47	47	47
124½	93⅛	Del & Hudson (9)...		110	110	110	110	110
79¼	73¼	Del L & W (7).....		76	76	76	76	76
114⅜	106	Du Pont deNem (8)		129½	127	129½	127	126
11⅜	8⅜	East Kodak (7½)...		10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜
67⅜	56	Elec Stor Bat (4½)		65½	65½	65½	65½	65½
20⅜	15	Elk Horn Coal.....		16	16	16	16	16
94¼	58⅜	Endicott-Johnson(4)		87½	87½	87½	87½	87½
29⅜	15⅜	Erie.....		20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾
31¼	15	Erie 1st pf.....		21½	22	21½	21½	21½
92	72	Fam Pl L (4).....		82	82	82	82	82
10⅜	7¼	Fifth Avenue		11	11	11	11	11
10⅜	5⅜	Fisk Rubber		5¾	6	5¾	6	6
51⅜	44⅛	Fleischman		47	47	47	47	47
44⅜	39¼	General Asphalt		39¾	39¾	39¼	39¼	39¼
64⅜	46⅜	Gen Cigar (4).....		46¾	47	46¾	47	47
20⅜	167	Gen Electric (8)...		209½	212	209½	209½	209½
17⅜	12⅜	Gen Motors (1.20).		14⅜	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜
89⅜	71	Goldwyn Pictures...		71	71	71	71	71
15⅜	6⅜	Gray & Davis.....		7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
14	11	Greene Canane.....		11½	11½	11½	11½	11½
89	67⅜	Gt Northern pf (5)		67	67	67	67	67
36	22	Gt Nor ore props (2		29½	29½	29½	29½	29½
83⅜	63⅜	Gulf States Steel..		74¾	75	74¾	75	75
42⅜	39⅜	Hartman Corp (4).		42	42	42	42	42
41	1	Hayes Wheel (3)....		40½	40½	40½	40½	40½
37⅜	32⅜	Household Prod (3)		32⅞	32⅞	32⅞	32⅞	32⅞
7⅜	40⅜	Houston Oil		60¾	60¾	60¾	60¾	60¾
20	10⅜	Hudson Mot C (2)..		12⅜	12⅜	12⅜	12⅜	12⅜
37⅛	17¼	Hupp Motor Car(1)		19½	19½	19½	19½	19½
47⅜	23⅛	Inspiration Cop (2)		26⅜	27	26⅜	26⅜	26⅜
61⅜	40⅜	Int Cement (2).....		42¾	43	42¾	42¾	42¾
37⅛	19	Int Combus En (2)		20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾
14⅜	6⅜	Int Harv new (2%)		9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
18⅜	7⅜	Int Mer Marine....		8	8	8	8	8
47⅜	18⅛	Int Mer Marine pf..		39¾	39¾	39¼	39¼	39¼
47⅜	19⅜	Int Nickel		24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
55⅜	27⅜	Int Paper		36	37¾	36	37¾	37¾
19⅜	7¼	Invincible Oil.....		12	12	11¾	11¾	11¾
29⅜	20⅜	Jones Bros Tea....		22¾	22¾	22¾	22¾	22¾
24⅜	15⅜	Kansas City South.		18⅝	18⅝	18¼	18¼	18¼
45⅝	28	Kelly-Springf Tire		29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾
85	31¼	Kelly-Springf'd Tire		39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾
45	39⅜	Kennecott (8).....		39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾

1923—High.	Low.	Stock and Div.	Rate in $	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.	Prev. Close.
11⅝	8⅛	Keystone Tire Rub.		9	9¼	9	9¼	9¼
25⅜	15⅜	Lehigh Valley (3a)		19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
71⅜	55⅛	Lima Loco		65½	65½	65½	65½	65½
24⅛	14	Loew's Inc (2).....		19½	19½	19½	19½	19½
152⅜	146	Loril'd & P (12)..		146	146	146	146	146
24	13	Mack Trucks		20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾
68⅜	46⅜	Macy & Co.....		62¾	62¾	62¾	62¾	62¾
42⅜	27⅜	Magma Copper.....		35½	35½	35½	35½	35½
27	17	Mallinc		25	25	25	25	25
40	10	Manhat Sh pf (2)...		30	30	30	30	30
28⅜	16	Maracaibo		20	20	20	20	20
37⅜	27½	Marland Oil		37	38¾	37	38¾	38¾
37⅜	27⅜	Mathieson Alk (2)		28¾	28¾	28¾	28¾	28¾
63¾	36	Maxwell Mot Cl A..		47½	48	47½	48	48
81	36⅜	Maxw Mot Cl B..(4		48	48	48	48	48
91	61	McCrory Stores(6)		88	88	88	88	88
28⅜	6⅜	Mex Seaboard		18	18	18	18	17⅞
6	2	Mex Seaboard pf..		3½	3½	3½	3½	3½
20⅛	11⅜	Miami Copper (2)...		23	23	23	23	23
3⅛	1⅛	Middle St Oil		2½	2½	2½	2½	2½
17	3	Mid St'l & Oc.....		11½	11½	11½	11½	11½
40	25	Mo Pacific		31½	32	31½	32	32
29⅜	17⅜	Mo Pacific pf.....		23½	23½	23½	23½	23½
39⅜	17⅜	Moon Motor (3).....		26	26	26	26	26
26⅛	16⅜	Montgomery Ward..		20½	20½	20½	20½	20½
81⅜	61⅜	N Y Air Brake (3)		67½	67½	67½	67½	67½
53⅜	38	Nat Biscuit (4).....		51	51	51	51	51
24⅜	24⅜	Nat Dept Stores....		30½	30½	30½	30½	30½
148	142	Nat Enam & Stmp..		142	142	142	142	142
18⅜	9⅜	Nevada Consol Cop		12⅛	12⅛	12⅛	12⅛	12⅛
12⅜	11⅛	New Haven (6).....		11½	11½	11½	11½	11½
90⅜	70⅜	N Y Central (7)...		100	100	100	100	100
101⅜	90⅜	N Y N H & H.....		101¾	101¾	101¾	101¾	101¾
117⅜	106	N Y Ont & West.. (7)		113	113	113	113	113
36⅜	27⅜	North American (3)		29½	29½	29½	29½	29½
37⅜	23⅛	Northern Pac (5)...		32½	32½	32½	32½	32½
114⅜	104⅜	Nia Silesian (8)...		105	105	105	105	105
7	1	Oils Steel		1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾
24⅜	14⅜	Pullman Co (8).....		20	20	20	20	20
40⅛	24⅛	Pan-Am Pet CB(8)		43¾	43¾	43¾	43¾	43¾
43⅜	29⅜	Pan-Am (1).....		42¾	42¾	42¾	42¾	42¾
4⅜	2⅛	Packard Mot (1.60)		3¼	3¼	3¼	3¼	3¼
24⅜	14⅜	Panhandle Pr (8)		20	20	20	20	20
48⅛	24⅛	Pan-Am Pet CB(8)		43¾	43¾	43¾	43¾	43¾
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This Day in History, February 16, 1924

THIS is the anniversary of the death of Lindley Murray, the grammarian. He was an American, but settled in England after making a fortune. His spelling book went through fifty editions.

De Luxe Fiction

THE BOSTON AMERICAN pays the highest prices for fiction and features.

"CHICKIE"

The Beautiful, but Bluntly Honest Story of a Boston Girl

By ELENORE MEHERIN

Seething Life of a Lovely Boston Girl of This Strange Today

THE STORY OF "CHICKIE" TO DATE

"Chickie" Bryce is the only child in the family. Her sister having died when she was quite young, the parents lavished all their affection on "Chickie." As the story opens, "Chickie" is attending business college and Arthur Somap, one of her classmates, takes her to a dance. "Chickie's" father is afraid of the pitfalls ahead for his daughter, but his fears are soothed by the girl and her mother. "Chickie" is thrilled to the core by the dance, and when Arthur kisses her as he bids her goodnight she believes that she has met "her hero," Mary Blake and "Chickie" blandly discuss love and marriage; Mary says it's too sordid for her, but "Chickie" thinks it will be all kisses and "walking on the mountain tops with her lover by her side." However, "Chickie" is disillusioned about a year later, when Arthur passes her on the street and fails to notice her. At eighteen, "Chickie" secured a position in a broker's office. There she met Janina, a girl worldly wise and one who told the other girls how to "handle" the men. "Chickie" went out with several men, but was not impressed by them. Mary Blake's sister, Lucy, married, and with four children, is an object of her sympathy.

WHEN Chickie followed, Janina's eyes sparkled. "A wild case on the delightful red head, haven't we?"

"Oh, you have men on the brain, Janina!"

"Good place to keep them, baby! Guaranteed harmless until we let them move out of our heads and into our hearts. Too bad when you have more room downstairs than up! Like to meet our good young friend?"

"Who—you mean?"

"That—you've been throwing your eyes at heaven knows what else across the floor for the last six weeks. Well, you shouldn't be surprised if a lad's the man for you. I'm trying—"

"Make a match or yourself, Janina. I think I am arranging my own."

"Who said anything about a match, either one. All I was sure of was that there was no harm in your knowing Jake Now. Jake's a peach of a boy, and he's one of the best bears."

"I hope I may count on your not Janina, are not in this deal."

Janina gave a little [illegible] grown she was [illegible] your way, why, you are doing only [illegible]

"Now [illegible] doing the best thing you've ever done in life," Janina's vivid face sharpened. "Happen to remember a rather good looking fellow I introduced you to some months ago—fellow named Jake?"

Chickie shot a quick excited glance at Janina's face. Jake Marson? Did she remember that tall, kingly, presence moving toward her in Washington street—stopping with that delightful smile?

An Invitation

She said, holding [illegible] her eagerness: "What about it?"

"Jake's giving a little party tonight. He has a notion that a shrinking violet in his buttonhole would be [illegible] tone carried upward mockingly. "He wants you to come."

Chickie looked at the window looking far out to the tranquil blue of the water. She was suddenly hot and tense. She felt [illegible] rising from the [illegible] the small room—like a panther straining at some invisible leash.

She said calmly: "Why are you asking me, Janina?"

As she said it, she was poignantly aware of Janina's hands, soft, incredibly white, turned back sensuously at the finger tips. They were clenched now. Little streaks of red moved upward slowly on either side of Janina's throat.

She seemed cluttered by some inviolable agony. She backed to the door, fastened both hands on the knob.

"Jake wants to meet you and he will. He's been after me for months. You might as well come tonight. It's going to be sweet and pure. We'll get you home by ten thirty—"

"I don't know—well, it's kind in you, Janina, but—"

Janina put her arm with a quick impulse in Chickie's. "Yes, come. You know that was [illegible] because I love you—now [illegible] I'll be a surprise to [illegible] Well, it [illegible] yoke now [illegible]

3 MINUTE JOURNEYS

By Temple Manning

Why Christmas Island Was Uninhabited

IT does not seem possible that a fairly large and comfortable island in the Pacific, first charted in 1666, and first visited in 1688, could have remained uninhabited until 1857, but that is what happened to Christmas Island.

It is a British possession. Lying about 190 miles south of Java, in the Indian Ocean, not so very far off the routes of steamers, Christmas Island has been a veritable desert island so far as inhabitants are concerned. Not even a cannibal or a missionary selected it for an abode.

The explanation is remarkable. Christmas Island is the flat top of a submarine mountain nearly three miles high. It rises abruptly above the sea to the height of one thousand feet, which is twice as high as the Washington Monument, and it proved very discouraging to the adventurous navigators of the seventeenth, eighteenth and nineteenth centuries. The Pacific Ocean within a few miles of the shore on all sides of Christmas Island is 14,000 feet deep, no less.

Back in 1888 some scientists prowling around the island, which in addition to its mighty cliffs is surrounded by a reef upon which terrific surf breaks continuously, discovered a tiny breach in the reef and succeeded in getting their vessel through. Once inside, the cliff revealed an opening, and a cove was discovered from which the island rose in terraces instead of abruptly.

An exploration was accordingly possible. They found the island, which contains about a hundred square miles, covered with a dense forest full of wild animals, none of them very savage, and absolutely no trace of human habitations. Valuable phosphate deposits were found however and a settlement was begun at once in what was named Flying Fish Cove. There are now over two hundred and fifty inhabitants on Christmas Island, including whites, Malays, Chinese and Polynesians. A company is operating the phosphates, the forest is being cut down and plantations are being developed. The climate is absolutely ideal, ranging from 74 to 84 degrees on the plateau all the year around.

Arrangements are now being made for aeroplane communication and mails and with a radio equipment in the homes of the officials this remote and mysterious island which for three hundred years defied the enterprise of man has become annexed to the outer world.

It is not known when and by whom the island was discovered, but the first record of it is contained on a Dutch map of 1666, whereupon its name is given as "Moni." Dampier, on his visit to it in 1688, found it uninhabited. The scientific discoveries in 1888 led to the island's annexation to the British crown of that year.

It was not until 1897, however, that actual settlement took place with a view to exploiting the rich phosphate deposits which had been worked spasmodically only during the period from 1888 until the leasehold held by G. Clunies Ross and Sir John Murray was sold by them to a company organized for that purpose.

In the latter year, a thorough scientific exploration of the island was made by C. W. Andrews, of the British Museum, the cost of the expedition being defrayed by Sir John Murray.

MEDBURY SAYS---

By John P. Medbury

LOVE is beginning to lose its romantic side and a lot of men are just getting married to settle the servant problem.

THEIR idea of wedding bells is some dame beating on a dish pan.

TO their way of thinking, the only progressive girl is the one in a carpet sweeper and a mop.

SOME fellows won't even marry a girl unless she has these accessories

THEY figure that getting married is like purchasing an automobile. You've always got to buy a few extras.

ONE guy said he'd never propose to a girl with beautiful smooth hands because the chances are she's not used to doing laundry work.

HE wants a dame whose knuckles are all bruised. That shows that she's accustomed to a wash board.

THIS same bird even went around to all his girl friends and measured their hands to see if they'd fit in his sink.

HE doesn't care if she never attended college as long as she went to cooking school.

HIS idea of a wedding is to be married by the manager of an employment agency.

SO, girls, when a man proposes to you after this be sure to ask him if he's marrying you for love or for Spring cleaning.

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Birds of a Feather

That barber who has joined the financiers of Wall Street ought to feel right at home with his fellow cut-throats.

POLLY AND HER PALS

It Takes More Courage Than Pa Has — **By Cliff Sterrett**

US BOYS

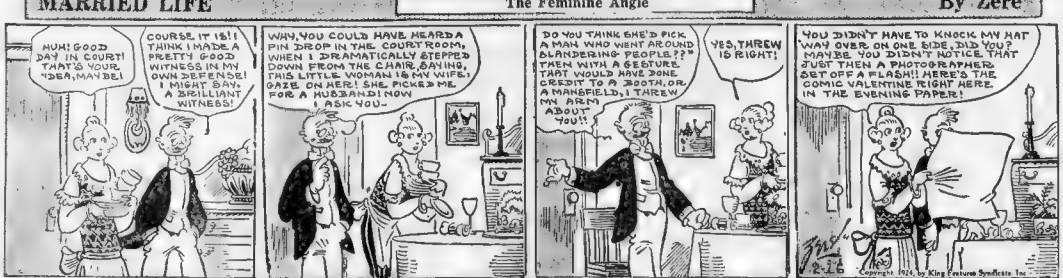
A Great Joke on Someone — **By McNamara**

GALLAGHER AND SHEAN

(Sing the words to the tune of Mr. Gallagher and Mr. Shean) — **By Jo Swerling**

MARRIED LIFE

The Feminine Angle — **By Zere**



RABID REVERIES

A Glad Awakening — **By Winsor McCay, Jr.**

THE NEWLYWEDS

6 O'Clock and All Is Well — **By Charles McManus**

HEROINES OF HISTORY

By Mark Sullivan

The Girl Who Was Under the Spell of a Great Poet

ONE of the most curious as well as interesting characters in all the history of femininity—from a psychological standpoint—is the gifted German writer, Bettina von Arnim.

From the time when she was but sixteen until she was thirty-three she lavished an affection that amounted almost to idolatry upon a man of sixty, described as such a confirmed egotist as to have been untouched by any quality in the girl's love save that of its sheer flattery.

However, the letters she wrote to Goethe during the seventeen years of her life have come down as a marvelous contribution to literature. They are published as the "Correspondence of Goethe with a Child," though, according to Mrs. Hale, the writer, the letters "seem more like the ravings of an opium eater than the feelings of a female soul."

Bettina was the daughter of General Brentano, who died of wounds in the Prussian service. She became the favorite at Goethe's mother, who resided in Frankfort and whose love for her talented son influenced the viewpoint of the girl.

"The remarkable platonic affection between the great poetical artist and the child is of a character which could never have happened but in Germany, where philosophy is half sister to romance," Mrs. Hale writes.

"Yet we cannot read the burning expressions of Bettina without sadness when reflecting that a maiden of sixteen thus lavished the rich treasures of her affection on a man sixty years old, whose head had been indurated by such a long course of gross sensuality as must have made him impenetrable in his selfish egotism to any real sympathy with her enthusiasm."

Goethe, of course, was married during these years—having united himself in matrimony with his housekeeper.

Eventually, however, Bettina came out from under the spell. She then married Ludwig von Arnim, poet and novelist.

They found happiness together. Upon their removal to Berlin they entertained endlessly, and Bettina became a star in the social as well as in the literary world.

After the death of her husband, Bettina divided her time between her writings and her charities.

CORRECT MANNERS

By Mrs. Cornelius Beeckman

DEAR MRS. BECKMAN:

Is it not customary in acknowledging wedding gifts to write the doner to call on the bride and groom in their new home? I have received a wedding gift sent to me by my employer and his wife. Would it appear to them presumptuous to me to extend such an invitation? Would not just a grateful acknowledgment be sufficient? PERPLEXED.

I ADMIRE very much your honest, straightforward way of looking at this. You show extraordinary common sense. While it is customary, in acknowledging wedding gifts, to invite the doner to call in the new home, in this case, I would, if I were you, follow intuition, write a gracious, grateful note of appreciation of their thought of you, of their generous expression of that thought in the gift, and of your enjoyment of its beauty or usefulness (or both). If they have the idea that you say, they will admire your native dignity, and if they haven't they will call formally, if they wish, even without a special invitation.

(Mrs. Beeckman will be glad to answer questions on etiquette submitted by readers.)

SMART SAYINGS OF CLEVER CHILDREN

The Boston American will pay $1 for published smart sayings. Address "Smart Sayings," Boston American.

"Waiter," growled a disgruntled customer, "I would like to know the meaning of this. Yesterday I was served a portion of pudding twice the size of this."

"Indeed, sir," replied the waiter, "where did you sit?"

"By the window."

"Ah, that explains it," replied the waiter. "We always give the people at the window a large helping. It's a good advertisement.

HOWARD TRAINOR

No. 19 Nixon street, Dorchester.

THE BEST JOKE I EVER HEARD

The Boston American will pay $1 for "Best Joke," published. Address "Best Joke," Boston American.

One day my girl friend invited me into an ice cream parlor and asked what kind of ice cream I wished. I told her coffee ice cream. When she turned and asked my three-year-old sister what she preferred, my little sister replied, "Ice cream."

EDITH NYE.

Box 82, Smith Mills, North Dartmouth, Mass.

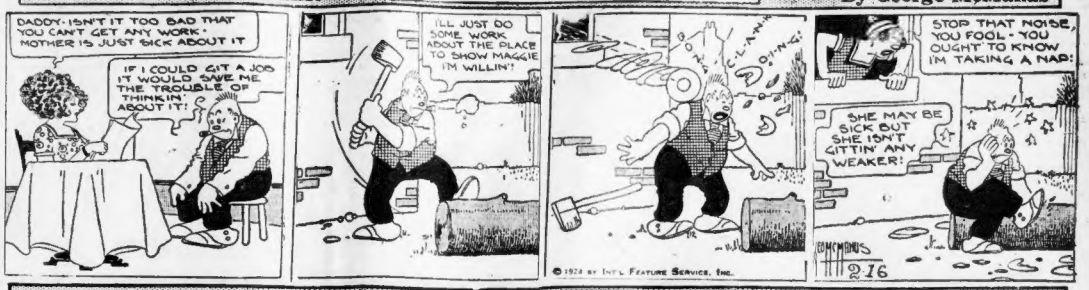
Ignorance Is Bliss.

"Would you care for some demitasse, darling?"

"No, thank you, sweetheart, I don't like those French wines. If you don't mind, I'll ask the waiter to bring me some black coffee instead."

HELPFUL HENRY
By Arnot

BRINGING UP FATHER
Not Too Sick
By George McManus



ABIE THE AGENT
He's Ben Around
By Hershfield

THEN THE FUN BEGAN
By Faber

GOLDBERG'S CARTOONS
Life's Little Jokes—No. 761,885
By Rube Goldberg

LET THE WEDDING BELLS RING OUT

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High Cost of No Tickets
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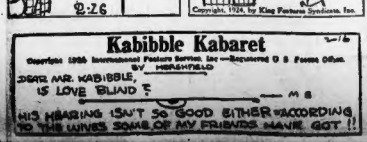

Radio American

Accurate—RADIO PROGRAMS TONIGHT and SUNDAY—*Easy to Read*

Don't Be Selfish!

While you have been enjoying the sporting news, has your wife been reading the Magazine page? Give her that part of the paper.

Is He So Wise?

Somebody said something today that made you think he was a wise man. Maybe he read the "Today" column on the first page.

MUSIC WAR MAY STOP SHOW BROADCASTS

Publishers' Demands for Added Royalties to Be Fought by Big Radio Stations.

The American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers is preparing to fire a broadside against the National Association of Broadcasters in the war between the two associations over the payment of copyright fees by radio broadcasters.

The result may be the suspension of further broadcasting of musical comedies by WNAC, the Shepard Stores station, which started the movement of broadcasting complete shows from the stage.

The Composers' Society, which owns the rights to practically all the successful musical comedies now being produced, today threatens to include in all contracts with producers a clause reserving the broadcasting rights.

This would mean that only such broadcasting stations as have a license from this society would be allowed to broadcast these comedies. At present WEAF, in New York, WOR, in Newark, two stations in Philadelphia, WHAD and WJAR, in Providence, and WTAT, the Edison station in Boston, are the only ones commonly heard in the East that have these licenses.

BIG STATIONS HOLD OUT.

WNAC, the Westinghouse, General Electric and Radio Corporation stations, and all the big Chicago stations have consistently held out against the demands of the American Society of Authors, Composers and Publishers.

There is a possibility the producers will refuse to sign contracts containing the clause in question. Every musical comedy broadcast by WNAC has greatly swelled the box office receipts, and producers have been so pleased with the results obtained in Boston that in other cities they have voluntarily requested some local station to broadcast their show.

THE "BIG SIX."

Replying to the claims of Eugene McDonald, head of WJAZ, and president of the National Association of Broadcasters, that the American Society represents only a small minority of the total authors, composers and publishers, Paul Amundsen, Boston attorney, and representative of the latter society says:

"We do not claim to control all the musical output. We do have, however, the members the six publishers of popular music which put out practically all the big hits. These are: Leo Feist, Inc., Irving Berlin, Inc., Jerome H. Remick & Co., Waterson, Berlin, Snyder & Co., T. B. Harms & Co., and M. Witmark & Son.

"In addition to this, several of the leading publishers of semi-classical music joined our society as of February 1.

"We have been severely criticised for our stand for royalties from other sources than merely on the actual sale of the sheet music. Yet without these other royalties, most of the musical composers would starve.

ONLY 500,000.

"Only a few years ago it was no unusual thing to sell 2,000,000 copies of a hit. Then the automobile and the movies came, and finally radio, so that now we are lucky if we sell 500,000 copies of a hit.

"We never demand any payment for charitable, educational or religious use of our music, and when free permission is granted for this reason we always allow any radio station to broadcast the affair.

"On this point I take issue with Mr. McDonald, who says that certain churches have desired to broadcast their music, but cannot do it without paying tribute to the society. Churches are never refused free permission."

Radio Queries

My Super brings in local stations loud, but not on distance. H.A.W.

Better try various grid leaks and see if that will help you. The grid leak is important to proper operation of Super.

E. F. H.

Is a grid leak of one megohm and a condenser of .00025 correct for the Super? E. F. H.

Your condenser value is correct, but the leak will have to be adjusted to fit the tube. Generally a two-meg leak will be O. K.

How can I get a license for sending code? W. B.

Write to the Radio Inspector, Custom House, Boston.

I have an 11-plate condenser on my Supeg and it tunes from 240 to 320 meters and the turns of the coil are correct. F. L.

I should say that it would be better for you to change to a 13-plate condenser. The condensers that you have do not have a very low minimum capacity.

Where do the two .005 condensers shown in booklet go? Also where is .04 .01 placed? N.Ya.

The two .005 bolted together form the .01 condenser.

FREAK RADIO SETS IN SHEPARD SHOW

GREAT STARS TO BE ORGANIZED FOR CONCERTS

Radio Public to Be Given Best Music Under a Plan Now Being Worked Out

New York, Feb. 16.—The world's greatest musical talent singing for the millions who might listen in on the radio is the plan of the Radio Music Fund Committee, organization of which was announced today. An effort to induce musicians to carry forward the work of broadcasting concerts by the foremost artists was coupled with the announcement.

Back of the plan are two objects: First, to enable the radio public to get the best in music, and second, to broaden and deepen appreciation of musical art. It was made plain, however, that the entire project hinges on the response of the public to the suggestion, and until the response is gauged no artists will be definitely engaged.

Members of the committee sponsoring the plan, as announced today, include Clarence H. Mackay, Felix M. Warburg, Frederic A. Juilliard and A. D. Will, Jr. The Central Union Trust Company has been designated to receive contributions.

The Metropolitan Opera Company, it was learned, will not change its decision against permitting opera to be broadcast. Individual stars, however, may sing for the committee, but these arrangements will be personal, made through the artists' managers. Arthur Judson, concert manager identified with the Philharmonic, Philadelphia and Cincinnati orchestras, will handle the engagement of artists for the radio musical program.

"We anticipate," said Mr. Judson today, "through sounding out great artists and the managements of the orchestras, that we can compile the greatest program ever assembled. We are not, however, signing up any one until we find out whether the public wants this or not."

The committee has selected radio station WEAF, of the American Telephone & Telegraph Co., at No. 195 Broadway.

U. S. CITES RADIO MAN FOR BRAVERY

Washington, Feb. 16.—The Navy Department has commended Henry J. Reinhardt, radio man, third class, of Bridgeport, Ct., for a daring trip in an open boat during a storm from the radio station at Kodiak, Alaska, to the village across two miles of open water, to obtain assistance for the steamship Star, in distress at Malina Point.

Reinhardt made his trip on the night of December 9 last, when the steamer was being pounded to pieces. The loss of all those aboard seemed imminent.

BEGIN FIGHT TO REDUCE AUTO TAX

Washington, Feb. 16 (C.N.S.).—House forces were lining up today to secure a reduction in taxes on auto mobiles An agreement by the Democratic leaders, acceptable to the Progressive Republicans and a considerable number of the regular Republicans, contemplates an aggregate reduction of $30,000,000. The government now collects $144,000,000.

The plan calls for a reduction of the tax on parts from five per cent. to nothing, 2½ per cent.; exemption from fed. 1 tax of all trucks of two tons and under. Farmer spokesmen in the House are strong for the legislation.

TONIGHT'S PROGRAMS.

WNAC, THE SHEPARD STORES, BOSTON—278 METERS.

4:00 P. M.—Broadcast from The Shepard Radio Shop: Popular songs by Charlie Tobias from Loew's Orpheum Theatre.

4:15—Mme. Doree and her Operatic Sweethearts in an a cappella program, from Loew's Orpheum Theatre.

6:30-7:30 — WNAC dinner dance, broadcast from Hotel Westminster, Hotel Westminster Orchestra, under direction of Max L. Kruleer: "Why Don't My Dreams Come True?" "Peasant Dreams," "After a While," "Honeymoon Jazz Blues," request, "One Little Smile," "Neath the Old Hawaiian Moon," "Swanee Cradle," "If I Can Take You From Somebody Else," "Laughin' Cryin' Blues," "Sunny Jim," "Marcheta," "Only a Butterfly," "Grand Daddy," "Wolverine Blues."

9:00—Dance music: "Sun-Kist Rose," "Faded Love Letters," "I Never Miss the Sunshine," "Dream Daddy" "There's a Band at the End of the Swanee," "Red Hot Pluse," "Eleanor," "Alice in a Whale," "Sing It Again," broadcast from the State Ballroom. State Ballroom Orchestra. Songs by Charlie Tobias.

10:00—Dance music: "Clock Sal," "Tha. One I Love," 'Gosh, But She't Nice," "I Was Your Man," "Bye Bye," "Lullaby of the Mine," "Why Don't My Dreams Come True," "Sobbin' Blues" Copey-Fazz Orchestra.

WOI, AMRAD, MEDFORD—360 Meters.

6:30—Meeting of Big Brother Amrad Club.

6:45—Code Practice, lesson Number 235.

7:00—Weather Forecast. New England Crop Notes.

7:30—Evening Program: Fourth of a series of studies in our leading industries. This series is primarily intended for New England Business Men and are conducted by Mr. Arthur R. Curnick of the New England Business Magazine. Subject, "Shoes and Leather." First speaker, Mr. Edward F. Cassidy of the Edward F. Cassidy Company of Boston, "Getting the Skins," Mustonia. Second speaker, Mr. Basil S. Collins, Secretary of Mass. Leather Manufacturers' Association, "From Tanning to Shoes." Mustonia. Third speaker, Mr. Thomas F. Anderson, Secretary of the New England Shoe and Leather Association, "The New England Shoe." Radio Questionnaire (questions of the listeners-in answered by the speakers of the evening). Arthur Murray's Course in Ball Room Dancing number (40).

WBAD.—PROVIDENCE.—361 Meters.

4:00 to 6:00 P. M.—Dance Music.

6:15—Children's Features.

6:30—Dandelion Hour.

WGAI.—CINCINNATI.—309 Meters.

6:30 P. M.—Organ concert broadcast from Odeon Auditorium.

11:00—Weekly News Review.

11:05—Musical Program.

1:00 A. M. — WGAI Midnight Entertainers, broadcast from Hotel Alms.

WOR.—BUFFALO.—319 Meters.

6:30 P. M.—Dinner Music.

KDKA—PITTSBURGH.—326 Meters.

6:15 P. M.—Dinner Concert by the Westinghouse Band, Conductor, Frank X. Marsch. "Attorney General, King; Selection from "Florodora," Stanfit; Ballad, "Your Garden in My Heart," DeVitt & "Let Me Call You Sweetheart," Friedman; "My Old Kentucky Home" (solo for all instruments), Darby; Waltz, "Over the Waves," Rosas; Descriptive Piece, "A Trip to the Farm," Hoff; Descriptive Piece, "Summer Evening in Hawaii," Wheeler; Descriptive, "Singing the World to America." Fred Berrens, Director.

7:45—The Children's Period.

8:00—Features.

8:15 — Personal Income Tax Returns for Small Incomes."

8:30—Concert by the Westinghouse Band, assisted by "An Unknown Female," program: Selections by Band; Selection from "Carmen," Bizet; Waltz, "Wedding Waltz," Gerrer; "Serenade—Ave" (with violin obligato), Schubert; Descriptive Piece, "Fourth of July Celebration on Staten Island, Down South," Hyde; Characteristic Piece, "Dream Fantasie," Franklin, pianist. Program: "Why Did You Kiss That Girl," "Some Day I'll Be," "In the Evening," "Mississippi Ripples," "Who Is the Greatest Girl in Town, Jo-sephine," "When It's Night Time in Italy," "Say It With a Uke."

8:00—"The Chicist Quartette," assisted by the "Chicist Trio" and the American Chile Company.

9:00 — "Celebration of Typewriter's Golden Anniversary."

9:15—Leon Brahms, tenor, who will soon give a recital in Town Hall, accompanied by Herman Neuman.

9:30 — George Vause, pianist. Program: "Prelude in A Op 28 No. 7" (Chopin); "Prelude in C Minor, Op. 28 No. 20" (Chopin); "Impromptu in A Flat" (Chopin); "Hungarian Etude" (MacDowell); "Concert Etude" (MacDowell); "The Brook" (MacDowell).

9:45—Burtis Bindenberger, contralto, accompanied by George Vause.

10:00—Bernard Ascher, baritone, accompanied by Winifred T. Barr.

10:15 — George Vause, pianist. Program: "Prelude in E Minor" (MacDowell); "Arabesque" (Leschetizky); "Magnuffin" (Ireland); "Japanese Etude" (Poldini); "Minuet" (Reinecch).

10:30—Mrs. Burtis Bindenberger, contralto

10:45—Bernard Ascher, baritone.

11:00 to 12:00 — Vincent Lopez and his orchestra direct from the Grill of the Hotel Pennsylvania.

WMC—MEMPHIS.—500 Meters.

8:30 P. M.—Old Time Songs.

WOO.—PHILADELPHIA.—509 Meters.

6:00 P. M. — Sport results and police reports.

9:55—Time signals and weather report.

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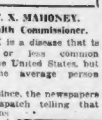
HOW TO KEEP WELL

By DR. F. X. MAHONEY, Boston Health Commissioner.

ANTHRAX is a disease that is more or less common throughout the United States, but of which the average person knows little.

Some time since, the newspapers carried a dispatch telling that several persons had contracted anthrax from shaving brushes. These victims were all male, of course, for as yet the opposite sex have not found use for shaving brushes.



Dr. Mahoney.

Anthrax is a disease primarily of cattle and sheep.

A human being generally contracts it by coming in contact with a part of the body of one of an animal that was infected.

The anthrax organism or bacilli give off hard spores, or what might be termed seeds.

These spores are protected by a hard casing that makes it very difficult to kill them off. For this reason they will live for years on a hide or on the hair of an animal long since dead.

They may enter the body through the skin, may be taken into lungs by breathing them or may be taken into the stomach in food.

Anthrax in human beings is comparatively rare, although it is very malignant, and often results in death unless carefully treated.

The disease is prevalent in some European countries and in the United States government takes unusual precautions to see that it is not carried in this country.

Most reputable manufacturers of shaving brushes take care to see that they are properly sterilized before they are placed on sale.

However, it would be well, when purchasing a brush that it does not bear the name of a reliable maker, to sterilize it yourself.

A very safe way to disinfect the brush is to make a solution of one part formaldehyde and nine parts water. Put the brush in this solution and keep it on the back of the stove for at least four hours. The temperature of 710 degrees Fahrenheit will be sufficient. Frequently agitate the brush so that the solution completely covers every individual bristle.

Don't become alarmed, however, and imagine every shaving brush is filled with anthrax germs. The danger from infection is rather remote.

QUESTIONS ANSWERED

Are other children in a home apt to take consumption?—MRS. G. S. T.

The disease is contagious and isolation is insisted upon by the Health Department, but the children of the family should be kept from other children as possible carriers of the disease.

Why is it we no longer hear of trench fever?—M. E. B.

Means states that trench fever is "disease which, contracted in the trenches, of the Great War, gets its name from the fact, it is principally a military problem. The disease is conveyed by the body louse. The virus in general is of the nature of the parasite and is very resistant. At first it was believed that the method of inoculation was through excoriations caused by scratching, but it has been shown that it also may be conveyed by the bite of the louse. It is a filterable virus. It requires an incubation period of from five to seven to eight days. The louse remains infective up to three weeks after its infection and possibly longer. The incubation period in man is five to twenty days. There are few at any age who are immune to the disease, and the immunity after an attack is very short-lived. In some instances barely outlasting the attack.

PROMINENT R. E. MEN OFF FOR FLORIDA

It is evident that Florida has the call for many New Englanders at this season of year and for many of Boston's real estate men in particular.

The latest of these to succumb to the appeal of the state of sunshine includes Frank S. Lane, who left Thursday for Miami and Palm Beach. Mr. Lane plans to be gone a month.

Edward S. Field of Starrett-Fields accompanied by Mrs. Fields, is to spend a few weeks at Jacksonville and St. Petersberg.

Robert T. Fowler and Mrs. Fowler, together with Paul A. Peters of the Manufacturing Company, and Mrs. Peters, are on their way to Ft. Meyers, Texas, for a month's holiday.

K. C. MINSTREL SHOW ATTENDED BY 3,000

About 3,000 persons witnessed the annual minstrel show of St. John's Council, K. of C. of East Cambridge in K. of C. Hall, Somerville.

Exhibition dancing by Russell Howard and Kathryn Tobin and Jerry Allen and Kathryn McCarthy, eccentric dancing by Mike Fahey and solos by James Connorton, William Dzielinski, Thomas Flanegan, Frances Croake and Miss De George were features.

The end men were Jack, Tobin, Russell Howard, Jerry Allen, Walter Connell, Leo Murtagh and Henry Horgan. William Foley, grand knight, and Thomas Flanegan, Gladden and Joseph Sheeran directed the performance.

"MINUTE MEN" START HAVERHILL BOOM

Haverhill, Feb. 16.—One result of the convention of the National Shoe Retailers' Association will be a move by Haverhill manufacturers to increase the production of McKay shoes in local factories to compete successfully with St. Louis manufacturers. Manufacture of turn shoes is the principal business of local manufacturers at present, but following out the idea presented by the "Minute Men of 1924" editorials in the Boston American, the manufacturers intend to bring more business to New England.

CONVENIENCE and ECONOMY

should induce you to shop in The American's classified columns. Save steps in shopping and money in buying.

Announcements

Deaths

COLLINS—In Roxbury, February 15, Thomas J. Collins (Tom), beloved husband of Mary E. Curran.

Funeral from his late home, No. 28 Francis street, Monday, February 18, at 8:30. Solemn high mass of requiem at Mission church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends kindly invited. Late member of Boat Club lodge, 16, B. P. O. E.

HIGGINS—In Somerville, February 14, Elizabeth (McIntyre) Higgins, beloved wife of the late John Higgins.

Funeral from her residence, No. 12 Warwick place, Sunday, February 17, at 1 p. m. Solemn requiem mass at St. Clement's church, Monday, February 18, at 8 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

LOVEGRAN—In South Boston, February 13, Sarah Lovegran.

Funeral from the home of her brother, Patrick J. Lonergan, No. 15 N. street, Sunday, February 17, at 2:30 p. m. Services at the Gate of Heaven church at 3:30. Solemn high mass Monday, February 18, at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends respectfully invited. Late member Carmen's Union, Local 589.

Detectives 11a

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LOST—At Art Museum, or Boston Public Library on Wednesday, Feb. 13, bronze purse containing sum of money and other articles of value to owner. Kept by finder. Leather hand bag and contents by mail to MISS M. CHAPIN, Lander Lane, Jamaica Plain, Mass.

Churches

Bishop Edwin H. Hughes of the Methodist Episcopal Church is the noon preacher next week at King's Chapel, Tremont street.

Presbyterians of Greater Boston will meet in the First Presbyterian Church next Tuesday, Feb. 19, when Dr. Charles F. Wishart, moderator of the Presbyterian General Assembly, will be the principal speaker.

Young people of the Unitarian churches will take the pulpits of that denomination's churches in Greater Boston on the third annual Young People's Sunday, February 24.

Rev. Arthur E. Cross, formerly a Baptist minister in this State, has become a Unitarian preacher and is assigned to Presque Isle Church, Maine.

By using busses on Sunday morning to gather people within a radius of five miles of Bethany Church, Rev. Frank Madwin, Congregational pastor, reports 75 per cent. increase in the Sunday attendance.

Methodists of Greater Boston have contributed more than $15,000 for religious education in the Soviet republics.

Bishop E. R. Hendrix, Methodist, of Capetown, is expected to make several addresses on his work in Boston audiences in March.

Colonel H. H. Rogers of New York, a Unitarian, has asked the Rev. Frank O. Hall, minister of M. E. Church of Fairhaven for repairs.

Professor A. C. Knudson of Boston University will speak on "The Social Gospel and Its Theological Implications" before the Methodist Ministers of Methodist Churches in Wesleyan Hall.

Norwood Baptist Church is about to install a new organ at a cost of about $10,000. Harry P. B. Grout of Brookline has been temporary pastor of this church for several months.

The Very Rev. Mgr. M. J. Splaine of Roxbury has been elected vice-president of the Catholic Summer School of America.

Sir Bertram Windle, F. R. S., will address the Common Cause Forum on "Patriotism and Peace" Sunday evening in Franklin Union Hall, Berkeley and Appleton streets.

Rev. Joseph A. Murphy of St. John's Seminary, Brighton, speaks today, and Rev. Jones T. J. Corrigan will speak next Wednesday, both of Notre Dame Seminary, on "Monsignor Benson and Canon Sheehan." Many of these lectures are given under the auspices of the League of Catholic Women.

Roman Catholic telephone operators are invited to attend a meeting Monday evening at the Cenacle Convent, Brighton, to form a guild for telephone operators.

The services for evening meditation and prayer at St. Paul's Cathedral have been resumed. Every evening the Rev. George F. Bentley, known throughout the city as a hospital chaplain, will conduct a short service at 5 o'clock.

The Roumanian Class of St. Paul's Cathedral young men presents its annual concert in Wesley Hall, Cambridge, at 8 p. m., on Thursday, February 21. Tickets are priced at 50 cents.

The speaker at the 12:10 p. m. St. Paul's service on Wednesday, February 27 and 28, is Dr. Orrell Pratt of the department of psychology, Harvard University. His subjects are: "The Psychology of Religious Faith" (February 27) and "The Idea of God" (February 28).

The boys of St. Paul's Cathedral Choir, assisted by the boys and girls' choir of the Crypt on Wednesday, February 27 at 8 p. m. This is the first year in evangelistic fine concert, and at the same time the first boys to appear in public in the exposures of the Summer camp at Hubbardston, Mass. Rev. Frank O. Hall is also the secretary's office or from Mr. Phelps or Mr. Clark.

The monthly devotional meeting for the women of St. Paul's Cathedral of the diocese of Boston will be Wednesday, February 20, 2 p. m., in the Crypt. Rev. William P. Remington, D. D. will speak.

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BOSTON AMERICAN

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Under Mayor Henry Little Pierce, in 1873-4, Charlestown, 30,000 population; West Roxbury, 9,000, and Brighton, 5,000, were annexed to Boston.

Secretary Hoover Stands With The People Of California

Secretary Hoover, in the hearings before the Congressional Committee considering the Swing-Johnson bill for the construction of Boulder Dam across the Colorado River, aligned himself clearly and squarely with the paramount interests of the people of Southern California, his native State.

If this Boulder Dam is ever built, as proposed in the Swing-Johnson bill, and as planned by the United States reclamation service, it will serve two great purposes: furnish water and irrigation to the people of the Imperial and Coachella valleys, a magnificently rich area equalling several small States of the Union, and enable development of 1,000,000 horse-power for the cities of Southern California—power that will cost them far less money than they are now paying to power companies.

Quite naturally the power companies do not want such a dam and they are bringing every influence they know upon Congress to defeat the bill or have substitutes for another dam further down the Colorado River, in a low altitude, which will be comparatively useless for power purposes. The enormous interests of these power companies are apparent at each Congressional hearing on this subject. Engineers are brought forward to offer objections to the Boulder Dam, which will be situated in a high altitude, where power may be easily and cheaply developed from it, and transferred to California cities which could use it to make that beautiful region grow more beautiful and prosperous.

It is the desire of California cities, headed by Los Angeles, to form an association of cities to make use of the power from Boulder Dam. This association would reimburse the government of the United States, for every cent it may put into the dam, estimated at $50,000,000.

If the big power interests see that they cannot bring about a low altitude dam they will "shift their delivery," as the baseball pitchers do, and seek to have a dam built so far up the Colorado River that it would be difficult and costly to transmit the power that might be derived from it by those who will seek to develop the power for the benefit of the public.

Secretary Hoover has shrewdly sensed the situation and the shadowy hands back of the opposition to Boulder Dam. His position will fortify those who are making the fight to save the farmers and fruit growers of the Imperial and other valleys, whose lives and properties are being threatened by the uncontrolled Colorado, and the users of power.

There is an almost identical situation in Washington, D. C., so far as power development is concerned. Great Falls, it has been repeatedly estimated by army engineers, could be harnessed and the power therefrom used to make electricity for all United States government buildings and the public at a cost far below that now charged. Virtually the only opposition that has ever manifested itself is from the local electric light company and the light and power companies throughout the country that are allied with it. These allied corporations do not want the government to do anything that will aid the consuming public. They want to control all light and power themselves, and at their own prices.

If the bill for developing Great Falls ever goes through Congress it will be in spite of the combined and powerful electric light and power interests of the country, carefully marshalled by the local company.

All Over the World—

You Find Interesting News Items

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Great Britain and Italy recognize Russia. Shall we ride with the band or wait and hang on to the tailboard of the calliope? Meanwhile, other nations get in on the ground floor of Nature's greatest storehouse of resources and possibilities.

If Mr. Hughes can't recognize Moscow because he thinks she tried to get us to trade Uncle Sam for a fellow with longer whiskers, then Mr. Hughes should have refused to sit in a Cabinet meeting with Mr. Fall, who cut more ground out from under Uncle Sam than anybody else.

France shuts up her short-order American divorce bazaar. Ladies and gentlemen wishing to be detached must have documents showing the things complained of are ground for divorce here, and these documents must be registered in court where the applicant lives. French divorces have been light, fluffy creations, swift, silent—altogether delightful.

A prominent politician says the Democratic candidate for President may be nominated at a New York baseball park. If the platform declares for the League of Nations, this will be handy; the nominee can be called "out!" without having to make a campaign.

This has been a hard week for the human race. King Tut's undertaker turns out to have been a grafter, a Scotch whiskey house busts because our rum-runners won't pay up, and now Mr. Bryan and his presidential candidate disagree about the monkey business.

One of our steamship companies has bought seven "Presidential Ships" from the Shipping Board and started a regular round-the-world passenger service, the trip taking 112 days.

This is a good trip, as trips go, but it's not a ferryboat ride as compared with what we may get after this life. The radius of the universe is estimated to be a million times ten million times the distance from the earth to the sun, and this is 93,000,000 miles.

Or to put it into a shawl strap, all you have to do to get the diameter of the universe is to multiply the diameter of the earth's orbit by ten trillion. And this is only one little universe.

And now the American Peace Society jumps all over the Bok Peace plan. Why is it that our Peace specialists have olive branches enough for all the nations on earth, but nothing but poison ivy for each other?

Rough Shod -:- -:- By T. E. Powers

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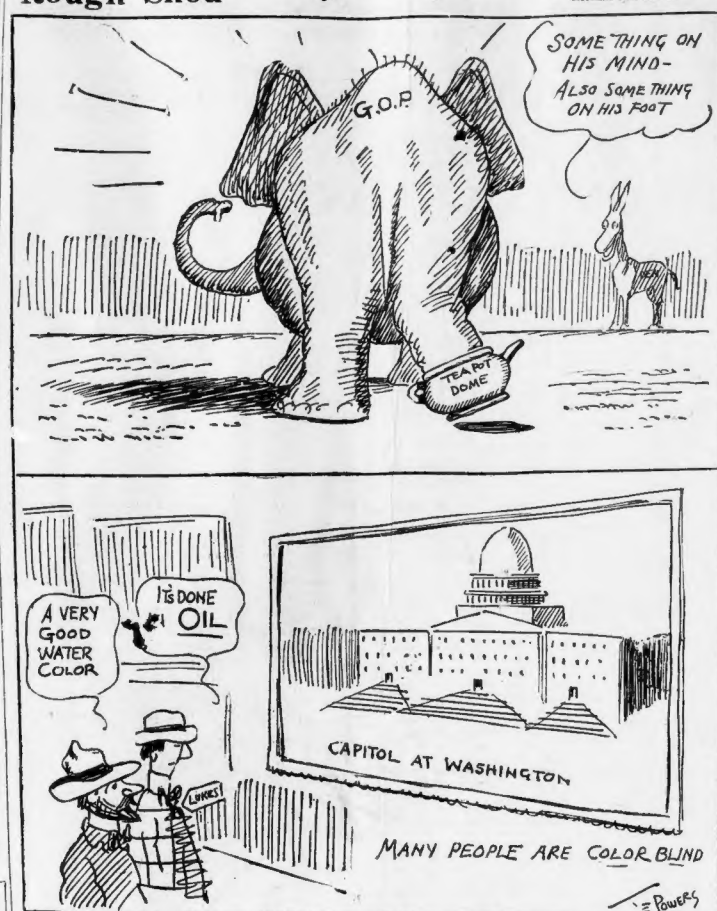

LISTEN, WORLD! -:- By ELSIE ROBINSON

THERE'S no class of human beings for whom I have deeper sympathy than for the Misunderstood Parents. Unless, perhaps, it's the Misunderstood Children of those parents! Between the parents who don't understand their children and the children who can't understand their parents the home is having a hard time of it these days. Did you read about the eighteen-year-old girl who took poison because her mother would not let her omit the sleeves from her party gown? Utterly unreasonable? Perhaps. But before you pass judgment, stop and consider both sides of the question.

Sleeveless party gowns were a new fashion to the mother. They exposed the arm in a way which startled her. Therefore, being alien to her experience, she at once took the stand that they were immoral, and forbade her daughter to wear them. It seems very laudable to forbid a child doing something which you think is wrong. But is it laudable to brand something wrong over which you have done no thinking whatever? And have you the right to demand obedience for such sloppy thought work?

If the mother had ever seriously studied this sleeveless fashion she would have discovered that it is neither new nor demoralizing. Nearly every generation has passed through a cheerless gown period. The finest women in our history have worn gowns of far more startling style. The decolette gowns of the Civil War period revealed much more of the human body. The pinched waist of mother's own girlhood came immeasureably nearer to being a moral issue, for it really harmed the body. In short, neither history nor sense backed mother in her decision. She was not fighting for righteousness. She was simply battling against change, trying to hold the world in the mold of her youth.

And the daughter knew this. She knew it from her individual experience and from the inherited antagonism which lively youth has ever shown to sluggish age. Age can impose no crueller edict on youth than to command it to be "queer," for it virtually decrees that youth shall step out of the pageant of its generation. The mother was swayed by the discomfort she herself experienced when facing a startling innovation. But she was indifferent to the absolute agony of a child cut off from her contemporaries. Maudlin nonsense, you say? Not a bit of it. Whether the medium of a sleeveless dress, a membership in the inner social circle or a congressional seat, you hate equally to be out of the running. You may think the congressional seat is vastly more important, but do you think there's any difference in the eyes of Fate?

There are the two sides to an affair which is typical of the present domestic situation. Mothers are having a hard time of it nowadays. But they are making it much harder for themselves by their own mental laziness and intolerance. There are plenty of issues to be faced which do involve moral problems, and the wise mother will confine her efforts to those issues. She won't waste her force by tilting against customs which are merely expressions of a changing time . . . BUT I WONDER IF THE PARENTAL HEART IS ALWAYS ANIMATED BY A DIVINE DESIRE TO BE WISE, OR IS IT QUITE OFTEN THROBBING WITH THE HUMAN DESIRE TO BE BOSS!

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THE HELPING HAND

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Expects Seventh Baby

Editor Helping Hand:

Will you please send me the name of some expectant mother, as I have some baby clothes which will do somebody some good?

MRS. J. T. M.

Thank you. We are sending you the address of Mrs. L. A. M., who is expecting her seventh baby.

For Little Girls

Editor Helping Hand:

Please send me the address of Mrs. M. D. 4. Also please send me someone's address with girls from one to five years old. And also some old lady that is in need of underwear, size 44.

MRS. C. B. C.

Thank you. We are sending you the address of Mrs. M. D. 4, also that of Mrs. A. B., who has little girls, and of Mrs. R. F., whose old mother is in need of warm clothes.

Needs Baby Dresses

Editor Helping Hand:

I am soon to become a mother and would like to have a few baby's dresses and things a coming baby ought to have. I wish I could have a Winter coat and stockings and dresses, as I have no money to buy any and I try to look for a job to help my husband. He has been sick and is out of work. I am only seventeen years old.

MRS. E. M.

Just Right

Editor Helping Hand:

I have one nearly new quilt, one lady's Winter coat, size 40; shirts and collars, size 15; two union suits for a girl of twelve, a girl's coat, size 7, and some broadcloth that could be made into a little girl's coat. Please send me an address.

MRS. A. H.

Thank you. We have sent you the address of Frances. The things you offer will be just right for her family.

Appeal for Husband

Editor Helping Hand:

I have written to you before for clothes for my husband and children, but I suppose there are so many needy people for you to send to that it takes time to answer all. My husband is trying to get work, but it is impossible for him to go out half the time as he hasn't proper clothes for this weather. His only pair of pants are all patches and his shoes are full of holes. He wears size 36-38, and shoes size 5½ or 6. If you could find him clothes or rubbers he perhaps could find work. My children are girls, seven, five and one-half, four and three, and a

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DR. FRANK CRANE ON ENDOWMENT OF RADICALISM

By Dr. Frank Crane

A YOUNG man named Charles Garland of North Carver, Massachusetts, when he came of legal age in 1919 received a million dollars from his father's estate.

He had rather unusual ideas and turned over the greater part of this money to a fund to be used "to the advantage of all." A board was created to administer this fund to "promote experiments for the public welfare," which was taken to mean the advance of so-called liberal or radical movements and people.

According to a recent statement, loans of $137,000 and gifts of $79,000 were made to various labor and radical organizations and enterprises.

The money given away, went to "labor and radical publications, research and workers' education, legal defence, protection of minorities, educational propaganda for industrial democracy, and industrial legislation for strike relief."

This is a free country and no matter what our personal convictions may be we must admit the right of every man to advocate his own opinions so long as he keeps within the law.

There are plenty of endowments and other funds used in advancing vested rights, venerable creeds and ancient institutions; and if anybody wants to establish a fund for propagating heresy let him go to it.

The American people are sane and sound. No strange new gospel, whether backed by money or not, is likely to sweep them off their feet, and, by the same token, when they wish to change their laws and institutions, they have a way of doing it without regard to the alarms of the conservatives.

Above all, the American people are good sports, and have an idea that their country is much safer with free speech and a free press than it would be if protected by any sort of censorship.

If anybody is burning with a new scheme of reform or spirit of protest, by all means let him hire a hall or start a magazine. We may not believe in him, but we certainly are not afraid of him.

And the only opinions that are dangerous in this country are those that are suppressed.

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GARRETT P. SERVISS ON SCIENCE AND IMMORTALITY

By Garrett P. Serviss,
Famous Astronomer and Writer on Scientific Topics of Popular Interest.

BECAUSE human immortality seems to me to be desirable but unproved, I looked forward with considerable eagerness to an address delivered on the subject of immortality in St. George's Church, New York, on January 20, by Professor Henry N. Russell, of the Princeton Observatory, one of the foremost of living astronomers, and a man of great mental versatility as well as depth. I felt, though faintly, that he might be able to point out some new way to approach the problem of proving immortality to be a logical necessity, starting from the basis of verified facts.

Of course, considering the history of this subject, my expectation, however faint, was foolish; but whatever one earnestly desires keeps bobbing up, like an imperishable hope, in his mind, no matter how often or how decisively it may be put down or brushed aside. If money could have bought it, and if I had possessed the price, I would have paid a prodigious sum to be shown how to demonstrate by scientific reasoning the existence of man's immortal soul.

But it appears that Professor Russell had no idea of trying to remodel Paley's method of proving from the facts of nature the existence of God, or of substituting some other or better method for Paley's, while making the question turn upon human immortality instead of upon the Creator.

On the contrary, he left the belief in immortality just where it has always rested, viz., on the sole ground of faith, or intuition. His comparison of the journey of a light-wave from a star taking thousands of years to cross the abyss of space, and thus continuing its existence indefinitely after it has ceased to be at its source—this being likened to the persistence of the soul after bodily death—was striking, but not evidential. But a great aid to faith is found in the argument that because Christ taught the belief in immortality the logic of Christianity commends that belief to His followers.

It is not to scientists that people should look for guidance on such questions. There is a popular impression that an astronomer ought to know, or at least has better opportunities than others enjoy for learning something about heaven and the future. But as Sir Humphrey Gilbert cried out from his sinking ship: "We are as near to heaven by sea as by land," so the astronomer knows that his thoughts are no nearer to heaven when fixed on a star than when he is reading a graduated circle on his telescope.

What the astronomer, however, can do is to assure his fellow beings that God has infinitely vaster things than the earth to care for, and that we could make no greater exhibition of folly than we do when we seek to measure His power or to analyze His purposes by our petty terrestrial standards, either physical or moral. Perhaps because the windows of his mind are opened toward the universe, the astronomer is less apt than some other students of nature and science to conceive a false idea of the capability of man to find out everything, even including the secret of his origin and destiny, by delving in the narrow field of physics and chemistry, as they have been developed within our limitations.

The field of science is that in which sensible evidence leads to conclusions verifiable by the senses. But the senses are mere bodily attributes which to our certain knowledge are very imperfect, and capable of giving but fragmentary views even of the physical world around us.

The field of religion is the field of faith, and it is a weakness on our part when we seek or hope to strengthen our faith by encouragement from science. Faith sometimes reacts even upon the physical world—the world that belongs to science—but when the subject of faith is an abstract question, like that of immortality, no light can be added to its illumination from the lamp of science, which does not burn in that air.

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ARE YOU GOING TO BE A LEADER OR ARE YOU WILLING TO BE LED?

Loosen up; relax.

You are wound up too tight; your nerves are taut.

Too intent on physics' performances you are not using your mental faculties enough.

It is a mistake to believe that progress is the result of keeping your hands going all the time.

If you worked physically ten per cent less and spent ten per cent. more of your time thinking and planning, you would accomplish more, perhaps 25 to 30 per cent. more, believe it!

This would be much easier for you, too.

If you were working for yourself it would mean a larger income and if for an employer, it would mean increase in wages or a better position entirely.

It is easy to get men to work and follow instructions, but hard to find men who think and can plan for themselves to advantage.

The man who plans is the man who leads.

Are you going to be a leader or are you willing to be led?